

THE SITUATION MORE STRAINED.

Shooting of Consul

At Beirut May Bring About Serious International Complications.

Presence of American Boats

In Turkish Waters to Protect American Property and Enforce Reparation for the Vice Consul's Death Has no Political Significance.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 28.—Minister Leshman has cabled the state department that he called at the foreign office again last night and presented the American demands for an immediate investigation of the reported assassination of vice consul Magelssen at Beirut. The minister for foreign affairs while denying all knowledge of the affair and attempting to discredit the report upon the insistence of Mr. Leshman promised that an immediate investigation would follow and that the Turkish government would take all possible steps to find out and punish the guilty.

Mr. Leshman states that Macedonian conditions are growing constantly more acute and that the situation in that section is extremely grave. In a cable Minister Leshman regarding the report of the American board of inquiry that an attempt had been made to burn the Euphrates College buildings at Harpoot, acting secretary Loomis instructed him to demand of the Turkish government that it take immediate steps for the protection of the lives of all Americans there.

THE ASSASSINATION

Of the American Vice Consul Attracts Universal Attention.

Paris, Aug. 28.—The assassination of the American vice consul at Beirut attracts much attention here but no information has been received in official or other quarters concerning the details. The last Beirut report received at the foreign office was dated July 1. As Beirut heretofore has been considered quite outside the range of Turkish disorders the French officials say the gravity of the situation depends on whether the shooting was done by a Turkish soldier, which would make the case similar to the assassination of M. Rostkowski, the Russian consul at Monastir which the officials add, would warrant demand on Turkey similar to that made by Russia. It is officially stated that if an American squadron goes to Turkish waters the action of the United States will not be regarded by France or the other European powers as having any political significance in connection with the near eastern situation. It is pointed out that the United States has always refrained from taking part in the near eastern complications the European powers assuming the burden of that question. A leading official likened the presence of an American squadron in Turkish waters to the demonstration made by the British and German warships in the Venezuelan waters the purpose, in each case being to command respect and enforce the collection of demands not having any connection with the general political situation. The latest official advice received here show that the Russian squadron which was at Inladi, off the east coast of Turkey was withdrawn to Sebastopol where it is awaiting further orders. Italy has one warship in Turkish waters but in each case large squadrons are held in reserve for action if the situation becomes acute. The increasing gravity of the situation in Turkey is further shown by an official report just received from Philadelphia giving details of the revolutionary plot to blow up the Oriental express. One of the plotters had been designated to sacrifice his life by boarding the train and throwing the bombs. This plot probably, was connected with the dynamiting of the

omnibus train at Kuleli Burgas but the Philadelphia report established the original plan was aimed against the leading trans-European express for the purpose of impressing the world with the magnitude of the disorder. The reports received here from the French consul at Salonica and Monastir are more reassuring. They say they have no further fear for their lives unless the Turkish soldiery become more lawless. The reports add that forty-nine Turkish battalions have been withdrawn from Albania and concentrated around Salonica, as the Albanian disorders have been crushed. The most remarkable feature of the reports disclose the fact that the Turkish force which totaled 50,000 men when the troops entered Albania six months ago has now been reduced to 35,000 men showing a loss of 15,000 troops. Few of the soldiers died of diseases. The loss chiefly in men killed while crushing the Albanian uprising.

FATHER

Mother and Brother Left by Murdered Consul.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 28.—Wm. C. Magelssen, the vice consul murdered at Beirut leaves a father, Rev. Christian Magelssen, and mother of Highland Prairie, Minn. and three brothers, Rev. H. G. Magelssen of La Crosse, L. G. Magelssen, Vermillion, S. D. and N. S. Magelssen, a theological student. There are also two sisters Mrs. G. B. Raendal wife of the consul at Beirut and Miss Catherine Magelssen of Prairie, Minn. Rev. Magelssen of this city, said the government would be asked today to have the remains sent home for interment.

AUTHORITIES

Of Turkey Cable Roosevelt Disclaiming Any Responsibility.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Aug. 28.—President Roosevelt received a telegram today from the state department, transmitting him a cabled communication from the Turkish foreign office, disclaiming any responsibility for the murder of consul Magelssen and expressing regret that it should have occurred. Official information of the murder seem to be lacking in the Turkish foreign office, as the communication expresses some doubt of the report. Secretary of State Hay, arrived here today to meet an engagement made with the president, in receipt of Magelssen's assassination. The president and Secretary Hay considered in all its phases the situation which has arisen. The information yet at hand is indefinite, but it is expected that details of the crime from an official source will be forthcoming soon.

GREAT BRITAIN

Nor Any Other Power Will Object to Summary Action.

London, Aug. 28.—The foreign office informs the Associated Press that Great Britain certainly will not and it is not likely that any other power will raise an objection to summary action on the part of the United States in connection with the assassination of vice consul Magelssen.

FORCES OF TROOPS

Stationed at Constantinople as a Precautionary Measure.

Constantinople, Aug. 28.—Considerable forces of troops have been stationed in the various suburbs of Constantinople as a precautionary measure in view of the appearance of insurgents less than a hundred miles from the capitol. A trainload of troops was despatched yesterday from this city to Tcherkeskoi, Vilayet of Adrianople, near which place three Bulgarian villages were recently attacked by Circassians and their inhabitants massacred. The troops sent to reinforce the garrison at Kirk-Kilisseh, 42 miles from Adrianople were routed by insurgents, whose numbers in the Vilayet of Adrianople are estimated to be 6,000.

Will Go With All Speed.

Washington, Aug. 28.—The Brooklyn will proceed with all speed to Beirut and will not wait for the Machias, which is a much slower vessel. Acting Secretary Darling this morning telegraphed the commanding officer of the Machias at Genoa for him to follow the Brooklyn to Port Said, where he is to coal and await orders.

ACTION.

Ordering War Vessels to Proceed to Turkey is Approved.

Washington, Aug. 28.—The action of Acting Secretary Darling, in ordering the Brooklyn and San Francisco to proceed to Beirut without waiting for the Machias, met with the hearty approval of the state department. The condition of affairs and the methods of the Turkish government as already developed indicate that only a show of force will secure the redress demanded. It is believed that the despatch of American warships to the scene of the murder in such haste will convince the sublime Porte that the United States means to make all its demands effective.

Based on Good Reasons.

Berlin, Aug. 28.—The foreign office officials say that while they are not in possession of the details of the assassination of the consul the action of the United States is doubtless based on adequate reasons.

RIGID

Censorship Exists, and It Is Hard to Get Facts.

New York, Aug. 28.—Editors. Such a rigid censorship exists that the Associated Press has been unable to reach its correspondent in Beirut for details of the assassination of the United States vice consul there, but every effort is being made to secure direct communication.

Have Sailed.

Nice, France, Aug. 28.—The United States cruisers Brooklyn and San Francisco left Ville Franche this evening for Beirut.

TWO COPIES OF LITHOGRAPH

Of Roosevelt Made by Artist Fechner for the Emperor of Germany.

Berlin, Aug. 28.—Emperor William met Hans Fechner, the court portrait painter, some days ago and asked him to make a lithograph drawing of President Roosevelt. Fechner's lithograph of the emperor having been most widely circulated in Germany, Fechner did so, and showed the result to the emperor who had two copies struck off. One of these will be sent to Mr. Roosevelt. The emperor kept the other one for himself. No more copies will be taken from the stone.

JUMPED FROM AUTO AND SAVED HIMSELF.

Berlin, Aug. 28.—The automobile of Prince Eitel Frederick, second son of Emperor William, got out of the control of the driver today, near Bonn, and started down the mountainside. The prince leaped out and the driver stopped the machine at a neighboring village.

STRANGE TALE OF A FATHER

Whose Daughter Has Her Throat Cut While She Was Sleeping With Him.

Richmond, Mich., Aug. 28.—Twelve year old Agnes Douglas' throat was cut last night while she was sleeping with her father, and her physician to day says she cannot recover from the wound. The child's mother was at a neighbors last night, and the father says he awoke and found Agnes bleeding on the floor. He says she must have fallen against a plate of glass that was standing in the bedroom, and was later found broken. No statement can be gotten from the child, owing to her condition. Douglas has not been arrested. Justice Heath has summoned the sheriff of the county to investigate the case.

The sheriff is expected here between 1:30 and 2 o'clock this afternoon, and until his arrival, no investigation can be made. It was nearly half an hour after the child was found before a physician arrived at the house, and Agnes lost so much blood, that her condition is very serious, and she is too weak to make any statement. Another child aged 7 years was also in the bed with the father, but did not awaken until Agnes had been found on the floor, and is unable to tell anything about the matter. The father is a laboring man, and has always been a quiet and inoffensive person. Several older children were also asleep in other rooms, but heard nothing until awakened after the finding of Agnes. At 1 o'clock the wounded girl was resting easily, but it could not be told whether she would rally from the excessive loss of blood.

BIG DAM BURSTED AND FLOODED DISTRICT.

Butler, Pa., Aug. 28.—Boydstown dam, seven miles north of here burst today letting out 2,000,000 gallons of water and inundating portions of Butler, and the low lying districts for miles. Great damage was done to property, but so far as known, no lives were lost, the residents of the flooded district abandoning their homes and fleeing to the hills. Many culverts on the Pittsburgh, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad were washed out and a thirty foot bridge of the Pittsburgh and Western railroad over Bear creek was swept away.

BIG ENGINE ORDER.

Sydney N. S. W. Aug. 28.—The government has decided to call for tenders from manufacturers at home and abroad for the manufacture locally of sixty to one hundred railroad locomotives estimated to cost \$1,250,000. Four or five years will be allowed for the completion of the work.

CLOSED DEAL FOR PURCHASE

Of Big Tract of Coal Land for One Million Dollars in West Virginia Field.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 28.—The Pittsburg Coal Co. has just closed a deal for the purpose for all the coal land holdings of Henry W. Oliver, except those in the Blaine Coal Co., Shallenberger Coal Co. and the Second Pool coal company for a sum approximating \$1,000,000. The tract comprises about 4,500 acres, and the purchase gives the combine practically all of the Pittsburg coal in the first pool outside of that held by the Pittsburg railroad and coal company. The track lies near Pineville, on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore & Ohio.

VEHICLE TURNED OVER, THREE WERE DROWNED.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 28.—While a party of people were driving home from a social gathering, near Evergreen borough, north of Allegheny, early today, their vehicle was precipitated over a high embankment into Girtles Run and three were drowned. Two others narrowly escaped a similar fate. The dead: Myrtle Scott, aged 20, Nannie Scott, sister, aged 18; Annie Clifford, a cousin, aged about 20 years.

ELEVEN WERE DROWNED.

Gibraltar, Aug. 28.—Eleven Spaniards who were engaged in salvage work on the wreck of the Spanish steamer Irarua, near Tarifa, Spain were drowned today during a sudden squall.

NO UPRISING HAS OCCURRED.

The Reports from Foreign Officers Do Not Give Rise to Apprehension.

London, Aug. 28.—The foreign office has received a despatch from the British consul at Beirut, notifying the office here of the assassination of Wm. C. Magelssen, the United States vice and deputy consul, at that place, no details are given, and this, coupled with the fact that there have been no developments since the assassination was reported, leads the British officials to conclude that no anti-foreign uprising has occurred.

YANKEES WILL BUILD RAILROAD IN RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 28.—A telegram from Vladivostok, says local and American capitalists there have organized a company to build a railroad from Khabarovsk to the Gulf of De-Castries, on the eastern seaboard. A large amount of traffic is anticipated in Saghalien petroleum, besides coal, lumber and fish.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Sad Ending of the Life of a Prominent Manufacturer.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 28.—Mrs. Alexander Winton, wife of the president of the Winton Automobile Co., committed suicide early today by throwing herself into the lake.

Mrs. Winton had been in ill health for several months. She arose from her bed early this morning, during the temporary absence of her nurse and disappeared. Subsequently Mrs. Winton's body was recovered from the lake.

BURST STEAM PIPE BADLY BURNING MEN.

Bremen, Aug. 28.—The North German Lloyd steamer Neckar, bound for Baltimore, Md., while off Terschelling, an island in the North sea, yesterday, burst her main steam supply pipes which scalded the third and fourth engineers and seven stokers. The vessel is returning here for repairs.

PASSENGER TRAIN COLLIDED WITH FREIGHT.

Racine, Wis., Aug. 28.—A fast passenger train on the Wisconsin Central came into collision with a freight engine at Silver lake early today. Four trainmen were badly injured and a hundred cattle killed. The passengers escaped injury.

EIGHT FEET IN 24 HOURS

Is Record of Kansas City River, and It Is Still Rising.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 28.—The Kansas river has risen eight feet in the last 24 hours, and continues to rise at the rate of two inches every hour. It is expected that the water will continue to come up at the present rate for another twelve hours at least. Further rains west of here last night, are reported with the Kansas river at Lawrence, Topeka and Manhattan still rising fast. No serious damage has resulted here, the water being confined within the banks. Large forces of men are at work putting forth every effort to save the partly constructed bridges between the two Kansas cities. Lack of transportation is working hardships to the people of both cities.

BAR OFFICERS ELECTED.

Hot Springs, Va., Aug. 28.—At the morning session of the American Bar Association today the following officers were elected: James Hagerman, Missouri, president; John Hinkley, secretary; Maryland, Fred E. Wadhams, treasurer, of New York.

New members of executive committee: Francis Rawle, Philadelphia, P. W. Meldrim, Georgia; Platt Rogers, Colorado; M. F. Dickinson, Massachusetts; Theodore S. Garnett, Virginia; W. P. Breen, Indiana and Everett J. Wheeler, of New York, chairman of the committee on international arbitration, which dealt chiefly with the award made by arbitrators of the pious fund.

LIQUID FIRE CAME

Almost to Correspondent's Feet from Eruption of Mt. Vesuvius.

Detonations Within the Volcano Have Caused Prediction That a More Violent Outbreak May Be Anticipated at Any Hour in Future.

Naples, Aug. 28.—The correspondent of the Associated Press, has just returned from spending a night on Mt. Vesuvius, with the special permission of the authorities to pass the prescribed limits. The scene was terrifying but magnificent. Enormous masses of liquid fire flowed almost to the correspondent's feet, forming great mounds. Occasionally a mass of burning material became detached from the pyramid and rolled down the side of the mountain, the fast cooling lava in its turn detaching other masses un-

til the whole became stationary at the bottom. The main stream of molten lava flowed down the volcano until stopped by the mounds of old lava, when it divided and filled up the valleys, the old and new masses meeting with such force as to cause loud detonations, which shook the earth. Today the eruption continues and the volume of lava is acquiring vast proportions. Detonations inside the volcano have caused the prediction that a more violent eruption may be anticipated.

TRAINMEN RESIST BAND OF ROBBERS

And Are Beaten Into Insensibility. Depot, Restaurant and Men Looted. Desperadoes Made Their Escape.

McFarland, Kan., Aug. 28.—At 1 o'clock this morning six masked men heavily armed, appeared at the Rock Island depot, and started to enter the office door. Conductor Monahan, of a freight train, which had just pulled in, and night baggageman Charles Toller, saw them and attempted to block the door, but the robbers forced an entrance, and after taking their money and watches beat the railroad men into insensibility. They then rifled the depot of its contents, and going to the eating

house, held up and took all the valuables from a half dozen railroad employees on the platform. Passengers at the lunch counter scurried up stairs and blocked the entrance effectively. The bandits looted the eating house cash register and silver ware. Then they marched and carried six of the Rock Island employees into a freight car and disappeared.

Two hours after the robbers disappeared, sheriff Fay had organized a posse, released the prisoners from the car, and started in pursuit of the bandits, who headed towards Topeka.

PRIEST WILL BE PRISONER

For Remainder of His Life Because of Fight on the Bishop.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 28.—The announcement is made by Bishop Metz, of the Catholic church of Colorado, that Father Cushing, who has earned much notoriety by his fight up bishop during the past twelve years, has been ordered by Arch Bishop Fair-

comio, the apostolic delegate, to go to the Zraplist monastery, at Gethsemane, where he will be practically a prisoner for the balance of his life. Bishop Metz will pay all of his expenses. Father Cushing is between 40 and 50 years of age, and is broken down in health.

GAS SUPPLY GAVE OUT, PEOPLE IN DARKNESS

And Forced to Eat Cold Breakfasts Because They Had No Supply of Fuel Gas. A Washout Given as the Cause.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 28.—Hundreds of families living in the eastern section of this city, who use natural gas for fuel and light, were obliged to find their way to bed in the dark last night, as well as to eat cold breakfast this morning, as a result of the total failure of the natural gas supply. The gas suddenly gave out at 7:30 last night and was not turned on again until a late hour today. The trouble

is said to have been caused by a washout near Harberton, where the main pipe of the Eastern Ohio Gas Co. leading from the West Virginia gas field to this city was broken. The company is furnishing gas to more than 7,000 consumers in Cleveland, besides numerous factories.

A new 19 inch main is being laid to the gas fields by the company which it is said will insure a constant and reliable supply.

VARDAMAN THE WINNER.

Jackson, Miss., Aug. 28.—There seems to be no doubt left of the nomination of James K. Vardaman, in the primary election of yesterday, as the

democratic candidate for governor of the state. Partisans of Judge Criss, are conceding the election of Vardaman by 7,000 majority, and friends of the latter candidate are claiming it by 10,000.

FILLED WITH INDIGNATION,

Also Amazement and Surprise at the Committee's Report.

Hot Springs, Va., Aug. 28.—At the morning session of the American Bar association yesterday the annual address delivered by Hon. Baron B. Colt, of Rhode Island United States Judge from the first circuit Judge Colts subject was the "Reasonableness of the Law." "The common law and nothing but reason" was an opening sentence which was the key note of the paper.

TROUBLE BEGINS

When the Qualities of the Committee Are Up For Discussion.

Hot Springs, Va., Aug. 28.—The report of the committee on legal education was presented by Joseph H. Beale of Massachusetts. Walters Logan of New York made a verbal report from the committee on commercial law. He commended the national

Bankrupt law and then discussed the trust question. He said it would have to be settled by the lawyers; if they did not the demagogues would. If combinations continue competition will cease, and commercial jurisprudence will eventually be entirely changed. The committee he said had reached the unanimous conclusion that modern industrial combinations should be stayed. Charles F. Mander-son of Nebraska, said the report of the committee had filled him with amazement, surprise and indignation. He said the report was calculated to rend the association asunder and he resented the attempt to turn the body into a political hustling. He asked that the report be read. There was opposition to the motion and considerable confusion.

The convention decided to hear the report at once. It was read by chairman Logan and was very fully discussed.

ERUPTION OF MT. VESUVIUS

Is Decreasing and the Stream of Lava Is Slowly Diminishing.

Rome, Aug. 28.—The eruption of Mount Vesuvius is slowly decreasing. The stream of lava has diminished in velocity, having widened to about one hundred feet. Several fissures near the crater are enlarging, some towards Naples being 35 feet wide. The police and carabinieri exercise a close watch to prevent tourists approaching the dangerous spot. Only Pro-

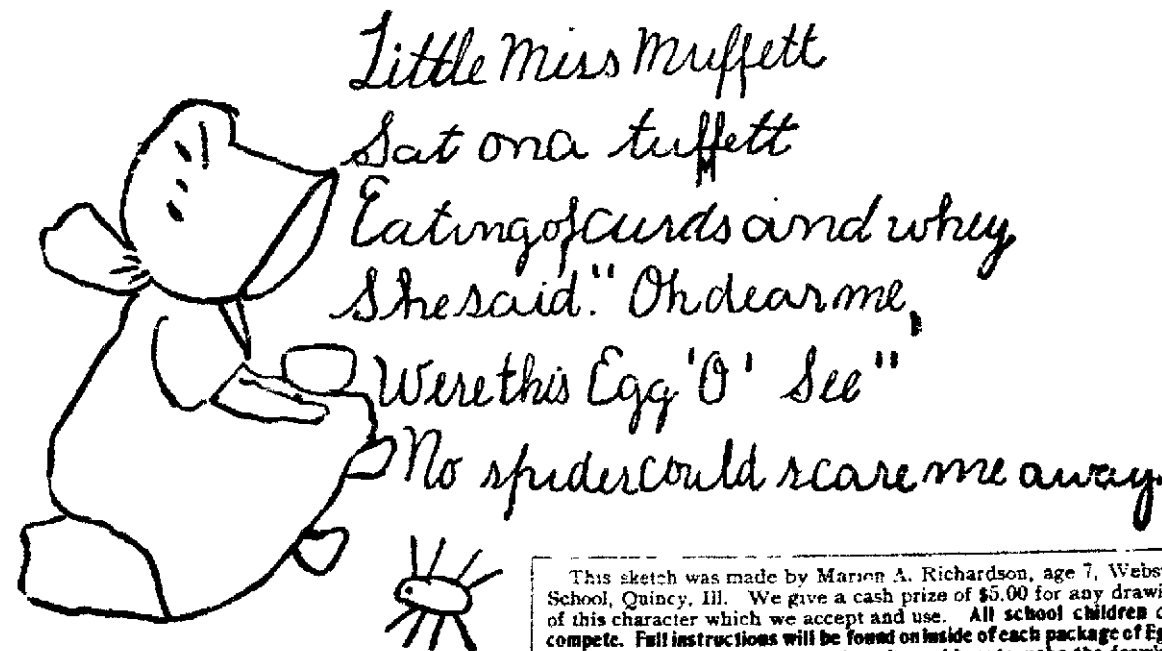
fessor Matteucci, director of the Observatory, is allowed inside the prescribed limits. He has made important observations from Mount Somma, the nearest point to the scene of the eruption. The government has ordered the telegraph offices in the villages around Mt. Vesuvius to be kept open all night, so as to be ready to send out alarms, should this be necessary.

Hair Falls

Ayer's Hair Vigor is the most economical preparation of its kind on the market. It doesn't take much of it to stop falling of the hair, to make the hair grow, or to restore color to gray hair.

Small text about Ayer's Hair Vigor, mentioning its benefits for hair growth and color restoration.

\$500,000 IN PRIZES of \$5.00 each to be given to the School Children of America School Children's Competitive Advertising Contest No. 9.



This sketch was made by Marion A. Richardson, age 7, Webster School, Quincy, Ill. We give a cash prize of \$5.00 for any drawing of this character which we accept and use. All school children can compete. Full instructions will be found on inside of each package of Egg-O-See telling what to do to get the prize and how to make the drawing.

The largest and most complete and modern food mill in the world equipped with the most approved sanitary devices, enables us to make the purest and most wholesome flaked wheat food on the market today. Crisp, delicious, strengthening and digestible.

NOTE—THE PRICE OF EGG-O-SEE IS 10 CENTS FOR A FULL SIZE PACKAGE, such as is usually sold for 15c. The largest food mill in the world, with the most approved labor saving machinery enables us to make the best flaked wheat food at this lower price.

Ask Your Grocer for the Green Package.

If your grocer does not keep it, send us his name and the address we will send you a

Address all communications to the BATTLE CREEK BREAKFAST FOOD CO., Quincy, Ill.

Tonight

Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of

Head's Pills

And you'll be all right in the morning.

MAXWELL'S

Base Ball Team Will Play at Sandusky, Sunday.

Maxwell's Americans will go to Sandusky Sunday and endeavor to regain their lost laurels this time with the strongest aggregation they have had this season. The line-up will be as follows:

J. Johnson, catcher. S. Barthell, pitcher. G. Foster, short stop; J. Downey, 1st base. E. Nealon, 2nd base; W. Ford, 3rd base; F. Byland, left field. F. Berrigan, center field; W. Berrigan, right field and captain. R. Nolf and E. Johnson, subs.

"I had diabetes in its worst form," writes Marion Lee, of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure made me a well man." It is a medicine free from poisons and will cure any case of kidney disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp.

NUMBER OF DROWNINGS

Caused by the Rapid Rising of Water from Rains.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Aug. 28.—At Corning an eight-inch rain fell during the night. The Burlington tracks are badly washed and a number of drownings are reported. H. H. Larue, lumberman, was drowned while rescuing persons from the fair grounds, over which the waters of the Nodaway river had suddenly risen.

Charles A. R. Fash, a horseman, was drowned by the derailling of the car in which he was riding. It is said there were a number of other persons in the car at the time and that they were also drowned.

VESSELS EN ROUTE FOR TURKISH WATERS.

Nice, France, Aug. 28.—In consequence of orders from the navy department at Washington the United States cruisers Brooklyn and San Francisco, now at Villefranche, will sail this evening for Genoa where they will join the Machias. After coaling at Genoa, the American ships will sail for Beirut.

"Were you our driving yesterday?" "Yes, out \$6 for the rig. The girl told me she was engaged to another fellow."—Chicago Tribune

SUGAR BEET

Factory Projectors Are at Findlay

With View to Locating Plant in That Village.

This Is the Sort of Thing the Lima Board of Trade Would Do Well to Bring to Lima.

The Findlay people are swelled up over the prospect of having a sugar beet plant located in that city. In commenting upon the matter the Jeffersonian in last night's edition, says: Findlay will probably have a large sugar beet factory in operation within a year, if nothing happens. Farmers and capitalists have been considering this question for a number of years, but the time never seemed ripe until the present.

Two representatives of sugar beet culture and sugar culture have been in the city several days, calling upon a number of gentlemen who were likely to be interested in the project. They were Messrs. Peach, a western promoter, and Mr. Van Alstyne, manager of the Fremont factory, the only one in Ohio. They were shown about by Attorney George Blackford, of Sandusky, and the result of their visit was the securing of a crowd of representative gentlemen, who went to Fremont this morning to inspect the plant there and to visit various farms and view the beets as they grow in the fields. The people composing the company were Hon. Blackford, Hon. O. P. Shaw, Dr. J. A. Kimmel, Isaac Davis, George Whistlerman, Mack Reed, M. Cobb, Adam Roth, M. Ewing, Mr. George, Bud Parker and C. W. Ford. They will return tonight.

Mr. Peck, who has established fourteen sugar plants throughout Michigan and the west, thinks Findlay an ideal place for the location of a factory, and with good beet-land surrounding the city. He says that the establishment of a 600-ton factory here would give employment to about one thousand people, three-fourths of the year and to some of them all the time. From 220 to 240 would be employed in the factory, while from 500 to 800 would work in the fields. The latter class would to some extent be composed of boys ranging in age from 11 to 16 years of age, and the work would come in just right—during the school vacation. In this way hundreds of boys who are virtually without employment during the summer, could find steady work at good wages in the fields thinning out the beets, etc., and they can make from 50 cents to \$2.25 per day according to the amount of work they perform. Mr. Peach says he knows of many students who lay up from \$50 to \$100 every year during vacation by this kind of work. The location here of such a factory would also necessarily bring to the city a number of skilled workmen with their families who would rent or purchase houses, and thus add to our population.

CASTORIA.

Like other men of prominence, Admiral Dewey often comes across the irrepressible person who always affects to be on terms of intimacy with notable personages. Courteous and genial to a degree, the admiral has profound dislike for this sort of a nuisance, and does not hesitate to show the feeling. Not long ago, while out walking in Washington, he was accosted by an effusive stranger who grasped his hand and said: "George, I bet you don't know me." The admiral looked his displeasure as he answered grimly: "You win," and walked on.

Stop Colds. when you feel one coming on by taking Krause's Cold Cure. Prepared in convenient capsules that cure while you work. Price 25 cents. Sold by W. M. Melville.

It is rather remarkable, says the Washington Post that in the long line of men who have been and who will be at the head of the army, until the retirement of Wood in 1924, none since Schofield has been or will be West Point men. Neither Miles, Young, Corbin, Chaffee, MacArthur nor Wood is a graduate of the famous military academy. All except Wood come over from the civil war, and the four years' service in that great conflict stands for as much as four years at West Point.

"See here," cried the artist, who had come to complain about the materials, "I can't imagine anything worse than your paint." "That's strange," replied the dealer, "don't you ever use your imagination on your painting?"—Philadelphia Ledger.

BASE BALL.

Chicago Team Defeated at Cincinnati Yesterday.

The Reds are at home again, and they celebrated their return yesterday by defeating the Chicago team, 8 to 1, being the score.

Yesterday's Results. Cincinnati 8, Chicago 1. Brooklyn 11, Philadelphia 10. Pittsburgh-St. Louis, rain. Boston 3, New York 1. New York 7, Boston 1.

How They Stand.

Clubs	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	72	37	.661
Chicago	65	45	.591
New York	66	46	.589
Cincinnati	59	49	.546
Brooklyn	54	55	.496
Boston	47	60	.434
St. Louis	38	73	.342
Philadelphia	33	68	.327

Games Today.

Chicago at Cincinnati. St. Louis at Pittsburgh. New York at Boston. Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

Foley's Kidney Cure

Will cure Bright's Disease. Will cure Diabetes. Will cure Stone in Bladder. Will cure Kidney and Bladder Diseases. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure all diseases arising from disordered kidneys or bladder. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Cummings will spend this evening at a trip to Wonderland.

Grand excursion to Wonderland. 5-11

CONTAGIOUS

Diseases Do Not Thrive in Lima.

The board of health was to have held its regular meeting last night, but none of the members put in appearance, and bills that were due had to go over. Health officer Jones reports the general health of the city, as excellent, there being but little sickness, of a contagious nature only three mild cases now receiving attention. One is a case of scarlet fever and two diphtheria, both of the latter being in the same family.

Nerves Like a Flatiron.

A woman who suffered for three years from nervous prostration says two bottles of Lichty's Celery Compound effected a complete cure. She hardly knows today whether she has nerves or not, as she never feels them. It is certainly a wonderful remedy. Sold by W. M. Melville.

Prof. Carl E. Myers, the aeronautical engineer, who has established a "balloon farm" in Herkimer county, New York, declares that the safest voyage is in balloons.

Quick Relief for Asthma Sufferers. Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.

Prof. W. J. McGee, the well-known scientist who has been in charge of the bureau of American ethnology of the Smithsonian institution, has resigned his position with the bureau. Prof. McGee's work as an ethnologist and anthropologist has made him an international reputation.

Will meet you at Wonderland. 69-11

See the funny burlesque on "The Heart of Maryland" at McBeth's park. 69-6t

"Let's nominate Trimmer for the place," said the first political leader. "he's a good man." "What?" demanded the other. "You don't really mean he's a good man?" "Certainly not. I mean a good politician."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Happy Hooligan is at Wonderland.

NOW that the heat of summer is here thousands are realizing how low their ambition, vitality and resistive force has become.

They are easily exhausted, heat seems unusually oppressive, feel draggy—all fagged out. They feel the need of a tonic that will build them up from the very foundation; give them strength, life, activity.

Hagee's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil (with Hypophosphites) is an ideal summer tonic, a builder—revitalizer—reconstructor—that physicians of all schools prescribe for these conditions. Pleasant to take. Contains all the active properties of cod liver oil without the grease.

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Is a matter of public interest, but a man's fall suit is occupying as many minds just now. We are prepared for you with all the novelties in imported and domestic woolsens. Trousers in neat patterns and colors, suitings in chevrons, worsteds, cassimeres, etc. We are ready to fit and fashion a suit or overcoat for you in a manner that can't be excelled in this city for fit, style or finish.

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AUCTION SALE

Commencing Thursday, Aug. 20, 1903.

At the Collateral Bank, 115 east Market street, Lima, O. Sales daily at 2 and 7 p. m., and continue daily until further notice.

At auction the largest and most complete stock of Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Imported Vases, Bric-a-Brac, Cutlery, Etc., ever offered for sale in Lima. These goods are all first quality. Anyone in need of good and reliable goods, such as Rogers, Middletown, Derby and other reliable firms, will do well to attend this sale, as these goods will be sold regardless of value, in fact, for less than wholesale prices. Every article guaranteed as represented.

5 elegant presents will be given away each evening, also a handsome piece of silverware will be presented to each lady attending the special ladies' sale, Wednesday, Aug. 26, at 2 o'clock.

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ANNUAL EXCURSION TO DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

And Mackinac Island via Detroit Southern R. R. Monday, Aug. 30th, 1903. Detroit, Mich. \$3.40; Mackinac \$5.00. Good returning to leave Mackinac Island, Saturday, Sept. 12th, and Detroit, Sept. 14th, 1903. Call on G. E. Robinson, agent, Lima, O., for full information.

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Sick Headache.

"For several years my wife was troubled with what physicians called sick headache of a very severe character. She doctored with several eminent physicians, and at a great expense, only to grow worse until she was unable to do any kind of work. About a year ago she began taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and today weighs more than she ever did before and is real well," says Mr. Geo. E. Wright of New London, New York. For sale by all druggists.

NAPOLEON FAIR.

Sept. 1, 2, 3, and 4. One fair for the round trip via Detroit Southern R. R. Call on agent for information.

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WANTED—INDUSTRIOUS GIRLS, TO LEARN THE CIGAR TRADE. GIRLS ARE WELL PAID WHILE LEARNING. INQUIRE AT THE AMERICAN CIGAR CO., MAIN AND ELM STREETS.

BOLT Of Lightning Shot Down and With Mighty Crash

Shattered the Tower
of the

Main Street Presbyterian
Church at 7 o'clock
Last Evening.

Interesting Romance on the South
Side, in Which Two Promi-
nent Residents are
Concerned.

Last evening, during the severe electric storm that passed over the city and brought the long wished for relief from the plague of dust, the people near the corner of Main and Kibby streets had a great scare and a bit of excitement that they will remember for many a day. With all the ceaseless roar of the approaching storm to warn them, they were quite unprepared for the deafening crash that startled everybody about seven o'clock. There was a noise like the crack of a thirty-pound gun closely followed by a rattle as of a thousand window glasses shattering. Everybody rushed out to see what it was, and all eyes were soon turned upwards to the steeple-tower of the Main street Presbyterian church where a streak of shattered shingles showed the zig-zag course of the bolt.

The bolt struck on the south side of the main tower, quite near the top, and traveled around to the east and then to the north side, leaving a jagged line of broken shingles to mark its path. After reaching the cave of the tower no further trace of the lightning is visible, either outside or in, and what course the bolt took from that point is a mystery.

This is the second or third time that this church has been struck. So long as people persist in building their churches with high steeples, they may confidently expect to have them struck by lightning, sooner or later.

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For sale and recommended by H. F. Vorkamp, Lima, O.

Turned the Trick.
It doesn't always take the young folks to plan a romantic affair and then carry it out to success. Engineer M. C. Ricketts, of 514 south Pine street, has just showed his friends that he can do the trick.

Last night he left for Winona Lake, Indiana, in company with his friend, Miss Jennie Conrath, of 534 Franklin avenue. When they return, which will be in a few days, they will receive their many friends as Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ricketts.

The way in which the ruse was discovered is as interesting as the trick itself. Late last night, license clerk Mose Hoagland was called upon to assist in the affair. As he was too sick to get up, it was arranged that he should send the necessary papers after them this morning.

The groom is well known in local railroad circles. Minor C. Ricketts, is extra-passenger engineer on the L. E. & W., having been in the service of that road for years. The bride is a daughter of Israel Conrath, and is a very popular and accomplished young lady, on the south side. The happy pair will reside at 514 south Pine street, after their return from a short trip in Indiana.

Gone North.

Charlie Dinsemore, owner of the City bank barber shop, left for Michigan, night before last, to remain about a month. Charlie has hay-fever, but he thought he could stick it out this year. The other night, however, he nearly died, and it was thought advisable to send him off at once. He went to Mackinac and from there he will go to St. Ignace.

During his absence, Charlie Martz will have charge of the shop.

Hay Fever Sufferer.

Last night during the storm, Howard Ruble, of McPherson avenue, who is a sufferer from hay-fever, at this time of the year, had a very bad time of it. It is likely that as soon as he recovers from this attack, which is the worst that he has ever had, he will be sent to Michigan where he was last year.

Shorts.

Mrs. J. S. Sparling, of 618 south Central avenue is confined to her room with an attack of illness.

Miss Blanche First, of 1115 St. Johns avenue, is entertaining her friend, Miss Grace Custer, of Dunkirk, Ohio.

Captain Henry Hoffman, sole survivor of the crew which sailed the yacht America in 1851 and brought the cup to this country, was among those who witnessed the race on Saturday. He was a small boy when he sailed in the America, but has a vivid recollection of the historic contest 52 years ago. Captain Hoffman has made a large fortune as a coal dealer in New York, where he resides. He owns and sails a fine yacht.

In western Iowa, a crusade for rubber heels for school children has been started. The main purpose is to insure quiet in the school room during study hours. The idea is said to be spreading with regular Kansas speed.

RED CROSS IN EVIDENCE

Yesterday and the Flower Mission
Created a Splendid Fund.

If the weather yesterday had been in keeping, with the occasion, the Flower Mission would have more than doubled what is to be considered even under the conditions which prevailed, as a most successful endeavor on the part of the young ladies.

Tag day proved a winner for the hospital and nearly 1200 of the cards which indicated a donation, were disposed of.

Refusals were quite out of the question, and in several instances, the amounts given in return for a red cross ticket, were very liberal, running as high as \$15, while in other cases a single penny gave one the right to wear the badge of charity.

The weather was such as to prevent the gathering of a crowd at the carnival, and the rain continued so long as to spoil the chances of the young ladies for an evening collection, the effort to increase it not being attempted after the supper hour. The money was deposited in the small steel banks furnished by the Lima Trust Co., and when they were opened and the money counted, the Flower Mission was the richer by \$230. No doubt many were missed who would gladly have donated, and would do so yet, so the opportunity is open to all who are charitably inclined, and any of the young ladies who compose the society will receive whatever amount is tendered.

QUAY FORCE TO PAY FARE.

The Conductor Suggested That the
Walking Was Good.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.—When Senator Quay visited Governor Pennypacker over Sunday he rode as far as Perkiomen Junction on his annual pass over the Philadelphia & Reading railway. There the party transferred to the Perkiomen Valley railroad, which spans the distance from the junction to Schwenksville.

"Tickets," said the conductor on the Perkiomen train. The senator selected the Reading pastebord from his file of passes.

"Not good on this road," said the conductor.

There was a principle involved, and the senator strove for it.

"Reading passes don't go on the Perkiomen Valley," said the conductor.

"You'll have to pay your fare."

"What if I refuse?" said the senator.

"The walking is good," replied the conductor.

The senator paid. When he came back to town having paid railroad fare it is said, for the first time in 35 years, he called at the Reading offices.

The employees are wondering how long the conductor's job will last. The Perkiomen Valley line is leased by the Reading.

Nearly Forfeits His Life.

A runaway almost ending fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for burns, bruises, skin eruptions and piles. 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner of Main and North streets.

FAMILY DROWNED IN THE IOWA FLOOD.

Nodaway, Iowa, Aug. 25.—In an attempt to reach the family of Wm. Sanborn, consisting of mother, rather and four children, who had taken refuge on the house top, the raft overturned, drowning Mrs. Sanborn and two children, the others being rescued with difficulty. The dead bodies have not been recovered.

Better Than Gold.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by H. F. Vorkamp, druggist, corner of Main and North streets.

PERSONAL.

George H. sorry did not see you last night, circumstances prevented. Will meet you same place at eight and we will take a trip to Wonderland.

69-11 LOUISE.

"I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly and quickly effected a permanent cure." C. W. Lenhart, Bowling Green, O.

Evil of Antipyrine.

The use of antipyrine for the relief and cure of headaches has a depressing influence on the heart, and causes a derangement of the kidneys. Krause's Headache Capsules contain no antipyrine, chloral, morphine or any injurious ingredient. They cure quickly and leave the head clear and cool. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville.

Old maids admitted free to Wonderland.

69-11

Scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleansing, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

The following epitaph, according to the New York Press, is to be found in a cemetery within seven miles of Gotham's city hall:

"Reader, pass on—don't waste your time."

O'er bad biography and bitter rhyme, For what I am this crumbling clay insures.

And what I was is no affair of yours."

Before the Judge—Mrs. Kindhart—

"Where were you brought up, by poor man?"

Hungry Hogan (between gulps absentmindedly—"I think Boston wuz de last place"—Puck.

BOARD Of Review Has Completed Its Work

And the Tax Duplicate Considerably Increased.

Large Number of New Structures Added Which Had Not Been Returned by the Assessors.

The Lima board of review which was established under the new code, has completed the work required having occupied sixty-nine days in adjusting property differences, and the result is that a considerable sum has been added to the tax duplicate which the assessors overlooked. The board is composed of three members: Capt. C. F. Donze, D. C. Richmond and Philip Walther, and from their report the following facts are gleaned:

Amount of personal property omitted by the assessors and added by the board after deducting \$22,169 in cases of over valuation nets \$185,551. One hundred and one new structures were omitted by the assessors and added by the board, valued at \$106,933. Net total added by board, \$292,484. Taxes to be paid on same amount to \$11,114.39. Number of new structures reported by the assessors 369. Number of new structures found and added by the board, 101, making a total of 470. Of this number of new structures, there were erected in 1st ward, 59, valued at \$47,650. In second ward, 123, valued at \$115,980. Third ward, 128, valued at \$117,480. In Fourth ward 15, valued at \$1,210, making a total of 470 with a valuation of \$352,720.

The board also found 217 new structures in course of erection, to be placed on the duplicate next year. The total expenses of the board is \$500 less than what has been paid for the same services heretofore to the annual city board of equalization.

CARSTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
ICE CREAM AND CAKE, TEN CENTS A DISH DURING CARNIVAL WEEK AT REID'S SWEET PLACE, OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE. 269-11

REGIMENTAL REUNION.

The 27th Annual Reunion of the 21st regiment, O. V. I. association will be held at Bowling Green, Sept. 17 and 18, 1903.

The tariff question in England now is said to be arousing deeper feeling, breaking more friendships and ruining more dinner parties than any other question of recent years.

"Here's a conundrum for you," said the funny man. "What's the difference between a man and his wife?" "It's invariably a difference of opinion," replied Henpeck.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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NOTICE TO TEACHERS:

The city board of school examiners of Lima, will hold a meeting for the examination of applicants at the Holland block, Saturday, September 5th, 1903, beginning at 8 o'clock a. m.

City teachers' institute will be held at the same place, Monday, Sept. 7, beginning at 9 o'clock. Schools will open on the 8th of September.

C. G. MILLER,
Clerk of Bd. Examiners.

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Perhaps You Do Yourself.

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Sore throat and cough.



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Is as a rope of sand compared with the pearls in the mouth of a beautiful woman. Don't neglect your teeth for even one day. See that the least defect is remedied instantly by competent dentists, as we are known to do. If you have lost your own teeth or must lose them, we can extract your teeth and supply a new set without pain.

Best Set \$5.00. Gold Crowns \$3.00 to \$5.00. Bridge Work \$2.00 to \$5.00. Filling from 50c up. Extracting absolutely painless 50c.

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Being a natural food it has perfect affinity with all fruits and vegetables, and served with preserves, jelly, honey or maple syrup, makes a palate-charming dessert. Shredded Wheat is the only naturally porous food made from wheat.

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For Lieutenant Governor,
FRANK B. MILES,
of Lucas County.

For Supreme Judge,
EDWARD J. DEMPSEY,
of Hamilton County.

For Attorney General,
FRANK S. MONNETT,
of Franklin County.

For Treasurer of State,
V. J. DAHL,
of Fayette County.

For Auditor of State,
CHARLES A. KLOEB,
of Mercer County.

For School Commissioner,
J. H. SECREST,
of Putnam County.

For Member of Board of Public Works,
T. H. B. JONES,
of Lawrence County.

For United States Senator,
JOHN H. CLARKE,
of Cuyahoga County.

DISTRICT TICKET.

For State Senators,
STEPHEN D. CRITES,
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For Common Pleas Judges,
STEPHEN A. ARMSTRONG,
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative,
JOHN W. MANGUS,
of Richland Township.

For Sheriff,
EUGENE J. BARR,
of Lima.

For Treasurer,
MINOR C. CROSSLEY,
of Lima.

For Commissioner,
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,
of Bluffton.

For Surveyor,
CHARLES E. CRAIG,
of Monroe Township.

For Coroner,
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,
of Lima.

For Infirmary Director,
C. H. MOSIER,
of Marion Township.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Aug. 28.—For Ohio:
Rain tonight, cooler in west portions;
Saturday, generally fair.

OHIO DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

Another democratic state conven-
tion in Ohio is now a matter of history.
For months the press has advocated
and predicted the nomination of Tom
L. Johnson as our democratic standard
bearer for governor of Ohio. We have
also insisted upon reaffirming and en-
dorsing the Chicago and Kansas City
platforms. This has been done with
emphasis, and the democratic leader-
ship of William J. Bryan in the nation
has been more than recognized in the
invitation extended by the convention
to Mr. Bryan to participate in the
Ohio campaign.

The platform adopted on local af-
fairs is so specific, and definite, and
certain, and comprehensive, that the
next legislature, which it is hoped,
will be Democratic, will be obliged and
certain to furnish the people of Ohio
relief along so many lines where they
now suffer inequally and unjustly

that every intelligent citizen must
recognize and concede that the Ohio
platform this year is to the state what
the national platform of 1896 is to the
nation, a new Declaration of Inde-
pendence.

The Ohio democratic platform of
1903 promises longer strides, and
more of them, back to the principles
of local self government, home rule
and individual liberty as advocated by
Thomas Jefferson, than any platform
adopted either in this state or any
other state within the past generation.

The day is at hand for progress.
There is no time for bandying words
or undertaking to discredit the most
earnest and sincere people in the state
of Ohio. The republican and demo-
cratic parties are now arrayed against
each other. The campaign will be a
short one. It is not asking much of
each and every individual voter of
Ohio, that they study and compare the
two platforms and compare the record
of Mr. Hanna with that of Mr. John-
son, and then decide under which of
these platforms and under the leader-
ship of which of these men the people
of Ohio are likely to secure the larg-
est amount of relief from the present
iniquities which would be a disgrace
to a commonwealth of much less intel-
ligence and much less importance than
the great state of Ohio.

The state ticket is good throughout,
and deserves the support of the best
men in the state.

The aggressiveness of Mr. Johnson
is one of the admirable qualities as a
leader. It can be depended upon as a
potent element in the campaign, and
it will do much to carry the entire
ticket through.—Columbus Press.

THE CANAL TREATY.

The action of the Colombian senate
in rejecting the canal treaty is certain-
ly unfortunate. It presents two bad
features. One is that the Colombian
government made no effort to have it
adopted, and the treaty was not cham-
pioned on the floor of the senate, the
vote against it being unanimous. This
would indicate that the Colombian
government never had any expectation
of its ratification or any desire for it.
The other is that the action of the Co-
lombian senate was due to objection
to surrendering sovereignty over the
canal strip. If this is in good faith
the question of compensation will be
immaterial.

It is manifestly necessary that the
United States should have control of
this strip if it builds the canal. It is
to be responsible for its maintenance
and protection and it could not per-
form its duties in these respects in the
territory of a foreign nation. Whether
the cession be in the form of a lease
or otherwise, it means control by our
government, and it is likewise mani-
fest that the canal will be built by our
government or not at all. It is also
very certain that our government is
going to build a canal, and that it will
not be "held up" by Colombia as to
compensation.

These considerations leave a choice
of two courses—to go outside of Co-
lombia or to force our way through
Colombia by one mode or another. If
we go outside of Colombia we must
take Nicaragua route, for there is no
other. Of the half dozen routes that
have been proposed at various times,
all lie within Colombian territory ex-
cept the Nicaraguan route. In our
opinion that route is not practicable,
or at least not desirable. It may
serve as a club for Colombia, but from
the engineering points of view of con-
struction, maintenance and operation,
opinion against it has been growing
steadily, and we doubt that the United
States government will ever consider
it seriously.

The simplest plan of coercing Colom-
bia would be inciting a revolution in
Panama and Costa Rica and support-
ing the insurrectionary government.
That is what European nations have
been doing to accomplish their ends.
It is hypocritical but it preserves ap-
pearances, and in this case it would
be almost justifiable. In fact, an in-
dependent isthmian government, free
from South American control and
closely allied with the United States,
would be contemplated with much
complacency by most Americans.—
Indiana Sentinel.

GEN. MILES TO THE ARMY.

General Miles' address to the Ameri-
can army upon retiring from its com-
mand is worthy to be a classic in our
military history. Its keynote is the
sovereignty of citizenship within the
army. The soldier who leaves his
country the legacy of such a letter,
backed by such a record of high ideals
and both moral and physical courage,
as this man's record of two-score
years in its military service, can well
afford to ignore the pettiness of his
accidental superiors. What if Presi-
dent Roosevelt has put another officer
through the bare formality of a six-
day term in Miles' place, for the pur-
pose of depriving Miles of the empty
honor of being last in a discarded line
of service wherein Washington was
the first? What if the secretary of
war did celebrate the end of this gen-
eral's service with nothing but a cold

record of the fact? These acts do not
reflect upon Miles. They represent
the actors, and no one else. As to
the latter act, nothing else could have
been done in decent good faith. The
administration could not praise Gen.
Miles upon his retirement when it had
insulted, obstructed and abused him
during his service. The one commend-
able thing about the administration,
in all its official intercourse with Gen.
Miles, is its refusal to play the hypo-
crite when he retired. How could
President Roosevelt and Secretary
Root praise Miles without condemning
themselves. He stands for high
ideals of patriotism, they for the low
ideals of a selfish national life; he for
honor in the army, they for honoring
the army's dishonor.—Chicago Public.

NO DEMAND.

It is proposed to start a big school
for the training of journalists down
east. It can hardly be that such a
thing is necessary, for all over this
country, in every city, town, village
and hamlet, wherever there is a
newspaper, there are thousands of
people who are perfectly well posted
on the art of running a newspaper and
are always ready to leave their downy
couch at any time during the noctur-
nal hours and saunter forth in their
robe de nuit to bestow some good ad-
vice upon the management of a paper.
How sad it is to gaze upon such peo-
ple and contemplate with sadness the
wreck that fortune has made of their
lives. What grand thoughts, what sub-
lime ideas lie buried in the fissures
of their brains, and how sad to think
that they perhaps shall never see their
day of resurrection. Dame fortune
was indeed unkind when she directed
the foot steps of these people into
other avocations instead of placing in
their hands the pen with which to
trace on paper the thoughts which fit
across their intellectual panorama.
Sic transit gloria.—Wooster Demo-
crat.

SELECTED PUBLICITY.

President Roosevelt is said to advo-
cate "publicity" as to labor unions as
a cure for labor troubles. If he be-
lieves in that he should have given
publicity to the labor union's charges
against Foreman Miller of the govern-
ment printing office.—Indianapolis
Sentinel.

PUSHING HIS FAVORITE.

President Roosevelt, it is asserted,
is to withhold the promotion of 39
veterans, who are to be confirmed as
brigadiers before retirement, until the
name of General Wood has been acted
upon by the senate. This is using a
politician's club with a vengeance.—
Buffalo Times.

CATERING TO CAPITALISTS.

If President Roosevelt doesn't man-
age to enlist the sympathies of the
capitalists on his side it won't be be-
cause he hasn't made conscientious ef-
forts to do so. Witness, for instance,
his declaration that government em-
ployees may or may not belong to the
unions, as they see fit.—Salt Lake
Herald.

The work of the democratic con-
vention cannot help proving a source
of joy to every true democrat in the
state. The platform adopted is chiefly
confined to state issues and ought to
receive the indorsement of all con-
scientious and thinking men irrespec-
tive of party. Home rule in munici-
pal government, just taxation and op-
position to the unholy alliance be-
tween republican leaders and rich cor-
porations are the chief issues and on
these issues the great battle in Ohio
will be waged. The ticket selected
is a strong and clean one from top to
bottom. With Tom L. Johnson at the
head opposed to the Hanna-Cox man
Hurrick and the eloquent John H.
Clarke opposed to Hanna the demo-
crats of Ohio are prepared to go into
the fight with enthusiasm and with
strong hope of victory. It was a
great convention and did its work
well.—Angliaize Democrat.

The attention of the board of public
service of Lima is called to the way
the persons who were given the privi-
lege of using the Market street for
their private purposes, have repaired
the damage done to the street. In-
stead of cutting out the damaged parts,
putting in new concrete and resurfac-
ing with new asphalt, the holes which
were made in the street, were filled
with crushed stone. When they sank
deeper more crushed stone was
thrown in. The people who elected
the board of public service will hold
those gentlemen responsible for the
way in which privileged persons use
the streets which taxpayers have paid
for paving. If the paving is permitted
to be torn up it should be replaced as
good condition as before.

It appears to be profitable to be a
convicted embezzler under the pres-
ent republican administration. The
notorious C. S. W. Neely, who was
convicted of stupendous fraud in con-
nection with the Cuban postal service,

and sentenced to a fine of \$50,000 and
a term of ten years in prison, has had
all the sentences wiped away and is
living in luxurious elegance in New
York. If a man only stands pat with
the head of the departments he can
secure immunity for his actions under
the present regime.

Liabilities of commercial failures
thus far reported for August aggre-
gated \$6,965,185, of which \$5,151,151
were in manufacturing, \$1,733,747 in
trading, and \$80,287 in other com-
mercial lines. Failures this week num-
bered 238 in the United States against
207 last year, and 8 in Canada, com-
pared with 30 a year ago.—Dun's Re-
view.

The nomination of Tom Johnson
does not please the republicans. That
is one of the potent reasons why the
democrats are jubilant over it.

PROBATE COURT.

Thomas T. McElroy has been ap-
pointed administrator of the estate of
Wm. Lippert, deceased.

Mrs. Teresa Sterick will settle the
estate of her late husband, the ap-
pointment having been made yester-
day.

Irene—"She'll never forgive him."
Edgar—"Why, I thought he said
she was attractive."

Irene—"Oh, no. He said she was
'still attractive.'—Puck.

"The sins of the parents are visited
upon the child." "Yes, indeed. They
bear their domestic troubles that way,
as a rule."—Judge.

Peckem—"So young Wilkins is to
be married next week, is he?"

Enpeck—"Yes, I'm sorry to say he
is."

Peckem—"Why are you sorry?"
Enpeck—"Because he's a good fel-
low who never harmed any one."—
Chicago News.

Why Should We Work?
Work is activity in some phase of
our life. Life is manifested in activi-
ty, and inactivity would be stagnation,
which would be fatal to life.

In the universe wherever there is life
there is activity. This is true in the
vegetable, the animal and the human
worlds. This activity is a necessity
which runs through all organic life.
The life that is not crowned with en-
nobling work of some kind, either for
one's own livelihood or for the good of
others, is an empty life—an abnormal
life.

Work is natural, idleness unnatural.
Work builds up, and inactivity tears
down. Idleness is a violation of our
being. Hence it is unnatural.

There are manifold reasons why we
should work and no reason why we
should not. Those who are not obliged
to labor for their daily bread should
choose work of some kind in obedience
to the universal law that we see run-
ning all creation.

He who was of the opinion that "the
man who does not work should not
eat" realized the demoralizing influence
of a life spent in idleness.—American
Queen.

Looked Like Her Father's Work.
A certain surgeon had three leg am-
putation cases in a week. The unusual
number of serious and similar opera-
tions naturally caused talk in the sur-
geon's household, and his little daugh-
ter was greatly interested. A few days
after the last operation the surgeon's
wife and daughter were rummaging in
the attic. In a trunk was found a
daguerreotype depicting a girl of about
eight years of age. The portrait
through a peculiarity of pose showed
only one leg of the subject, the other
being doubled up under her in a man-
ner truly feminine.

"Whose picture is that, mamma?"
asked the surgeon's daughter.

"Mine. It was taken when I was a
child not much older than you are
now."

"Did you know papa then?"
"No, dear. Why do you ask?"
"I thought maybe you did 'cause
you've only got one leg."

The Mast Made His Coffin.
The Macedonian was sent to the
Brooklyn navy yard to have a new
mast put into her. Old Jack Study
bossed the yard then, and Captain
Hudson was commandant. When the
job was finished and the ship was
about to sail Jack called on the com-
mandant. "Captain," he said, "I've
axed you few favo's in my time, but
I'm goin' to bother you with one now.
When old Jack goes to Davy Jones'
locker he wants you to send him below
in a box made out of that old mast.
Will you do it, sir?" The captain
promised. Old Jack died not long af-
terward, and Hudson was as good as his
word. The mast was cut down and
sawed into boards, and the honest soul
was buried in a coffin made of them.

Too Tempting.
Miss Arabella Paxton had long since
said goodby to her youth, but nobody
had accused her of doing it with resig-
nation.

"What were you thinking of to start
Cousin Arabella off in that merry-go-
round?" asked Mrs. Jennings at the
county fair. She had just received her
dizzy and disheveled relative at the end
of a trip on the flying horses.

"You needn't look so severe at me,"
said Mr. Jennings reproachfully when
Cousin Arabella had been deposited on
a settee and left to recover her equilib-
rium. "She heard a woman say the
machine was enough to scare anybody
out of ten years' growth, and after
that she was possessed to ride in it."

MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 28.—Opening deal-
ings in stocks showed no change from
recent conditions. Only a few securi-
ties were detailed in at all and in these
the price changes were narrow and ir-
regular. Anaconda rose 1/4. Other-
wise there was no changes in excess
of 1/4.

New York, Aug. 28.—Several of the
leading stocks were bid up and the
room traders too hold of the general
list. Union Pacific and Amalgamat-
ed were the leaders with gains of a
point each. Rubber Goods, pfd., and
Anaconda rose 2/4, Rubber Goods and
Really pfd., 2, Wabash pfd., Consoli-
dated Gas and Paper pfd., 1 1/2 and
Leather pfd., 1. Republic Steel pfd
declined a point but made a full recov-
ery later. Northern Central sold at
190, compared with 246 the previous
sale on September 25, 1902.

Wabash, Man. and Sugar rose a
point, and Colo. and Southern, second
pfd., 1. The demands showed signs of
exhaustion and prices sagged. Smut
pfd., dropped 4. Tennessee Coal de-
clined a point. Colorado Fuel 1 1/4.

The market fell back into an apath-
etic condition, and only a few
specialties moved perceptibly. Con-
solidated Gas rose 5/4, Anaconda 3/4,
General Electric 1/4, and Evansville
and Terre Haute 1 1/4. Des Moines
and Ft. Dodge lost 1/4, and Canada
Southern a point. Bonds were irregu-
lar at noon.

Money Market.

New York, Aug. 28.—Close: Money
on call, easy at 1 and 2 per cent clos-
ing bid 1 1/4. Time money easier. Six-
ty days 4 1/4 and 5 per cent; ninety
days 5 and 5 1/4 per cent; 4 months 5
and 6 per cent.

East Liberty Stock.

East Liberty, Aug. 28.—Cattle: Sup-
ply light; market steady; quotations
unchanged.

Hogs, supply 15 loads; market ac-
tive; prime heavy hogs \$5.80@5.85;
mediums \$5.10@5.15; Yorkers and
pigs \$4.15@5.20.

Sheep and lambs supply fairly, mar-
ket slow; prime wethers \$3.80@4.00;
good mixed \$3.50@3.75; fair mixed
\$3.00@3.40; lambs \$3.00@3.50; veal
calves \$6.00@7.25.

Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Wheat—Sept.
81 1/8, old 81 1/8; Dec. 82 1/8, old 82
1/4; May 84 1/8.

Corn—Aug. 50 3/4; Sept. 50 3/4@51;
Dec. 50 3/4@51; May 50 3/4@51.

Oats—Aug. 35; Sept. 35; Dec. 35 1/8
@34; May 37 1/2.

Pork—Sept. 12.50; Oct. 12.75; May
13.00 1/2.

Lard—Sept. 8.32 1/2@8.35; Oct. 7.60;
Dec. 7.05; Jan. 7.00.

Ribs—Sept. 7.57 1/2@7.60; Oct. 7.70;
Jan. 6.62 1/2.

Rye—Sept. 52 1/4; Dec. 54 1/2.

Live Stock.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 28.—Cattle: re-
ceipts 2,500. Steady; good to prime
steers \$5.30@5.60, poor to medium \$4
@5; stockers and feeders \$2.50@
4.25; cows \$1.50@4.50; heifers \$2.00
@4.75; canners \$1.50@2.70; bulls
\$2@4.40; Calves \$3.00@6.75; Texas
fed steers \$3.25@5.15; western steers
\$3.25@4.80.

Hogs, receipts today 9,000; tomor-
row 9,000; left over —, market 10
and 15 cents higher. Mixed and
butcher \$5.20@5.90; good to choice
heavy \$5.30@5.65; rough heavy \$4.95
@5.30; light \$5.60@5.10; bulk of
sales \$5.30@5.60.

Sheep, receipts 2,500. Sheep and
lambs steady. Good to choice weth-
ers \$3.00@3.70; fair to choice mixed
\$2.25@3.00; native lambs \$3.50@
4.75.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 28.—Chickens
10 1/2 all; broilers 12 1/2 to 14; ducks,
black, 11 to 12 1/2, white 12 1/2. No other
changes in Cleveland produce market
today.

THIRTEEN.

Unlucky? We think not. During
the week of June 5-12 we had thirteen
applications for students to fill posi-
tions at salaries ranging from \$20 to
\$65 a month. We filled nine of the
places. The college receives on an
average four applications a week. The
demand for students of both short-
hand and bookkeeping is much great-
er than the supply. If it were not
that we do not care to follow the cus-
tom of guaranteeing positions, we
would be very willing to enroll 200
pupils in the double course and agree
to place every one of them as soon
as finished. To guarantee positions
is to attract undesirable pupils, who
are afraid to take up a course under
ordinary circumstances. We want
students who have a little "sand," if
you will pardon the expression, who
are not intent on having a position be-
fore they are ready for it.

The best students Lima Business
College, or any other college gets, are
those who have confidence enough in
themselves to know that they can get
good positions, as well as hundreds of
others, when they are qualified for
them.

LIMA BUSINESS COLLEGE.

THE GUYER HAT FALL 1903 THE GUYER HAT FALL 1903

FOR SALE BY FOR SALE BY

THE MICHAEL CLOTHING & SHOE CO.

Carroll & Cooney. Carroll & Cooney.

Saturday's Sale at Carroll & Cooney's.

Ladies' Knit Underwear, Corsets, Wash Goods and Silks.

Ladies' sleeveless and wing sleeve vests, a quality never sold less than 19c elsewhere, at this sale

12 1-2c each.

Ladies' umbrella knit Drawers, lace trimmed and substantially built, a 25c quality goes at

19 cents.

Just 25 Summer Corsets.

\$1.50 net corsets in popular makes, very desirable in cut and style, but at tomorrow sale this lot of 25 corsets will be sold at

69 cents.

Lot No. 2.

75c Summer corsets 39c. This lot will have 25 to open this sale and persons buying this corset are buying practical merchandise at half price. Tomorrow

39 cents.

Wash Goods.

Lawns, dimities and linens sold Friday in two lots.

Lot No. 1. Will consist of goods of 15c, 18c and 25c quality, at our clearing sale

5c a yard.

Lot No. 2. Bargains that can seldom be shown, 30c, 37 1-2 and 50c lawns, Dimities and linens,

10c a yard.

Two hundred yards of silk, odd waist patterns and dress lengths, worth 79c to \$1.50 a yard, placed on our bargain counter tomorrow, per yard,

39 cents.

Carroll & Cooney.

"IT IS IGNORANCE THAT WASTES EFFORT." TRAINED SERVANTS USE

SAPOLIO

KNOX HATS.
FALL STYLES on sale at
HOFELLER'S**WANTED, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.**

WANTED—Place Young lady attending college would like a place in private family to work for board address. A E J in care Lima Business College 75-3t

WANTED—Two women at the Moyer laundry 72-3t

WANTED—Young lady to assist in marking and assorting Niagara Laundry 209 east High St 13t*

WANTED—Girls to work on mangle. Niagara Laundry 209 east High street 1-3t*

WANTED—High class salesman, must have some capital, best seller in the world Address W. O. M., this office 0-3t*

WANTED—Feather beds and pillows for cash Address C. F. Dickinson, general delivery, Lima, O. *9 eod-3t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—New house of six rooms. Call at this office after 6 p. m. 72-1f

FOR RENT—Up to date furnished rooms with bath, in private house, for gentlemen; prices moderate. Address Box 576, city. 241-1f

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Bay mare six years old, weight about 1100, sound, good driver and worker T D Robb 273-6t

FOR SALE—Hotel property and furniture will sell separately or together. Furnishings are all new; 10 bedrooms, 16 bath rooms, kitchen, parlor, bar, lunch room, office, etc. Lighted by gas and electricity. New building old carab. Reasonable. Reasons for selling. Address P O Box 21, Erie, Pa. 273 eod-6t

FOR SALE—A Western pony with harness and harness cheap. Inquire at 154 west Wayne St 13t*

FOR SALE—Go cart bed room suite, and other odds and ends. Must be sold. Make your own price. Apply at 625 1/2 south Main street 71-3t eod *

FOR SALE—I have several Shetland and Welsh ponies for sale, all young and will broken also new carts. M O Foster 158 south Pine street Lima 271-3t

FOR SALE OR RENT. Lots in all sizes, at the Awning factory in the Collins block. New home 1019 S G Rolison, Manufacturing Co 67-1m

FOR SALE—Property on west Wayne street will insure between 7 and 8 per cent on investment. Terms to suit purchaser. Address, Box 591, Lima, Ohio 254-1f

LOST.

LOST—Ladies steel chachalane, name of owner engraved in full on back. Reward will be paid if returned to W L Mackenzie room 28 Holmes block 73-3t

LOST—A pocket book containing about six dollars a gold neck chain, forty 2 cent stamps and a ticket for a trip to Wonderland. Keep money chain and stamps but return ticket to Wonderland, to R U Young care this office 69-6t

FOUND.

FOUND—One cow giving milk. Owner can have same by calling at 108 east Spring street Lima, O., and paying for this ad and necessary costs of said animal 70-3t*

QUYER HAT OPENING NEXT SATURDAY, AT MICHAEL'S.

Northern Ohio is getting all the big election plums this year. Both Frank and Johnson respectively republican and democratic candidates for governor are from Cleveland. Both Hanna and Clarke, for a second term in Cleveland and young men hailed from Columbiana county.

Prime and fall chickens and ducks, and lamb at Townsend's.

Townsend's Saturday Special.

Levi Carter Harrison of Chicago, who at Butte Mont submitted the matter to an interview in which he declared that at the end of his term he will retire from politics. But then Butte is the home of Mary Mc Lane, where they do strange things for which they afterwards not wholly accountable. Townsend's Saturday Special.

R. T. GREGG & CO.

A New Addition**TO OUR CLOAK ROOM.**
Now 50x55 Feet.

New Suits for the ladies for fall and winter wear now shown in our new and commodious cloak room, all direct from first hands.

All Absolutely New.

See them before making your purchase.

New Walking and Dress Skirts for fall.

New Fall Waists in silk from \$3.75 on up.

New Fall Waists, mercerized, black ground with dot, for 89c.

New Silk Petticoats for fall from \$5.00 on up.

New Mercerized Petticoats, the best in the land, for only 69c.

New Mercerized Petticoats, a better grade, for only \$1 00.

NEW FALL DRESS GOODS

in all the popular weaves at prices in easy reach of all sized purses.

New black Silks and Linings for fall.

New Fall Waistings—every conceivable kind to be found here, from the better grades down.

New Fall Outing Flannels.

New Fall Underwear, all grades.

New line of Blankets from the lower priced up.

COMFORTABLES

For Less Than You Can Buy the Materials.

New Fall Goods of all Kinds.

See us for the dry goods necessities. We can save you money on your purchase.

R. T. GREGG & CO.**DEPLORABLE****Case Brought to Light by Humane Officer.**

An Unmarried Woman, But the Mother of Several Children, Will Have a Hearing.

Humane officer Peltier has filed an affidavit in probate court, in which Mary Place who lives on Pearl street, is charged with the non-support of and cruelty to her children.

The affidavit contains the statement that the Place woman has several children under the age of sixteen years but is unmarried. They are allowed to go poorly clad, ill fed and complaints of frequent abuse have come to the officer from people who live in the neighborhood.

Probate Judge Miller, listened to the complaint and the woman has been notified to appear in court for a hearing at 10 o'clock, Monday morning.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs A D Miller left yesterday for Mackinac, and during the next ten days will act as chaperone for a jolly party of young people, including Miss Nellie Sullivan, Miss Susan and Frieda Miller, Lella Williams, Bessie Cassidy and Mr Easterly.

Mr and Mrs A R Manhart are home after a sojourn at Put in Bay. Rev Joseph A O'Connor left today noon for Berea, Ohio to take up his duties as pastor of St. Marys congregation.

Miss Mayme Hannon and Dorothy Machen returned to their home in Toledo today after a two weeks visit with Mrs T A Collins.

Thos Sullivan has returned to Shreveport La. after spending his vacation with his brothers and sisters in this city. Mr Sullivan is a passenger conductor on a southern railroad and runs from Shreveport to Delta.

Mrs Margaret Keilhammer of Chicago is the guest of Mrs D C Rich at 610 North Elizabeth street.

Miss Clara E Cook of Oak street entertained very delightfully last Tuesday evening for her guest Mrs Foster Davis of Lima. Among those present were Mr and Mrs Geo Stout and Mr and Mrs Charles Brant Mrs H Brunt Mr and Mrs S J Cook, Miss Bell Young Miss Agnes Winchester Miss Jessie Scherman Miss Emma Schuh Mrs C C Niles Earl Whitten, Harry Biddle James Drummond Victor Schuch and George Cook. The entertaining feature of the evening was music a number of highly entertaining vocal selections being rendered by Miss Young while Mrs Niles gave a number of graphophone selections. Pinch and ping pong were also features of the evening. Light refreshments were served.—Toledo Times-Bee

Prof and Mrs J F Mack returned Tuesday evening from Lima O where they spent the summer with Mrs Mack's relatives—Huntington Ind. Herald

Miss Josephine Ritzler, of Kenton, is spending the week with Chas Gustwiller and family, of west Wayne street.

Misses Clara and Florence Ritzler who have been the guests of Miss Lulu Gustwiller of west Wayne street returned to Indianapolis Ind Sunday. Misses Josephine Ritzler and Luella Horn of Kenton and Miss Gustwiller accompanied them where they were very pleasantly entertained by Mrs Jules Beasire.

Mr and Mrs E J Shank of 439 east McKibben street, are entertaining Mr Shank's sisters Miss Ora and Miss Bessie Shank, of Continental, O.

Mrs J W Gensel and son Richard, Mrs J E Porter and son William Stores are spending the day with friends at Bluffton.

Miss Inez Peltier, of Toledo, is the guest of her uncle, J B Jackman, of west Wayne street.

Clarence S James, who has been living in Pittsburg, since his removal from Lima, has returned to this city, and has purchased an interest in the McComb Insurance Co. The new firm will be known as McComb and James.

POSTPONED BY RAIN.

New York, Aug 23—The New York Washington American League game, and the Brooklyn-Philadelphia National League game at Brooklyn, were postponed today, on account of rain.

The two St Louis-Cleveland games scheduled for this afternoon, were postponed on account of rain.

Foxy Grandpa and Bowser at Wonderland. 69-1f

G. E. BLUM,

55-57 Public Square.

G. E. BLUM.

**NEW ADVANCE STYLES in Suits and Skirts.**

This store is always first with the new styles in Ready to Wear Garments.

Our Showing of the New Fall Styles of Fine Suits is Very Strong for so Early in the Season.

Suits of the new fancy cloth Louis XIV, jacket satin lined, round skirt, at **\$20.00.**

Walking Suits in fine grade of chevrot, blue and black, tailor made, stitched with white silk thread, very smart style, at **\$25.00.**

Walking Suits made of fine quality over plaid zibeline, full long corset jacket, lined throughout with fine quality satin, strictly tailor made, at **\$25.00.**

Walking Suit made of best quality French over plaid jacket, lined with skinner satin, very stylish skirt, great value at **\$30.00.**

We Are Showing the Best Skirt Values in the City.

Elegant new walking Skirts of good quality cloth with hip trimmings, at **\$4.49.**

Good quality Melton cloth Walking Skirts, well tailored, self trimmed with straps, extra value at **\$3.98.**

At \$5.00 our range of styles and colors is very complete, brown, tan, blue and black at **\$5.00.**

Cheviot Dress Skirts in black only, extra nice styles to select from, silk taffeta band at \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50.

Beautiful line of New Dress Skirts in broadcloth and venetian cloth, very latest styles, at \$5.00, \$6.50, and \$7.50.



Dress Goods, Cloak and Suit House,
55-57 Public Square

**\$689,000 WORTH OF BONDS BURNED.**

Sinking Fund Trustees Had a "Bond-Fire" at Reichelderfer's Plumbing Shop This Afternoon.

The members of the local board of sinking fund trustees held a celebration in A C Reichelderfer's office this afternoon and destroyed in flames, \$689,000 worth of bonds and coupons that have accumulated in the city clerk's office after being redeemed in recent years.

'What do we care for expenses,' remarked member Louis Koch as he lighted a cigar with \$10,000 bond. Some of the bonds destroyed were cancelled during the administrations of E F Davis and J B Douglas as city clerk.

PRESIDENT MAKES GOOD

With Great Britain and Other Powers Concerning the Reform Editors.

Oyster Bay Aug 23—The recent appeal to President Roosevelt, made by John A Slescher president of the republican editorial association in behalf of the convicted reform editors of Shanghai and whose surrender has been demanded by the Pekin authorities, has received prompt and favorable consideration. By direction of

the president, the state department has notified our representatives in China that the editors must not be given up for punishment outside the settlement. This places the United States in line with Great Britain, Japan and several other leading powers that have taken up the cause of the convicted editors with much vigor.

by some of his friends and was at least intended for a joke.

Matthew Koehler, of 207 east O'Connor avenue, left last night for Bath Maine, where he will join the Fenberg stock company now rehearsing a fine repertoire for the season. Mr Koehler started with the company as stage carpenter last season, but developed considerable dramatic talent and became a member of the cast.

A discovery bordering on a freak of nature was made at an early hour this morning by Mr H H Heman at his residence on west Market street. On the stone steps leading from the veranda, thousands of miniature snails were found. So small were the shells that the first impression was that it was a quantity of some sort of seed. It is now up to some wise one to explain where the multitude came from.

Take a trip to Wonderland. 69-1f
The had this week, a trip to Wonderland.

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE.

Matinee and Night

Saturday, August 29th,

J M Ward's dramatic Pro

duction of the Entailing

Melodrama.

A HUMAN SLAVE.

By Wm. L. Roberts.

A story of absorbing heart interest, blending of Pathos and Comedy. The Acme of Stage Craft and Realism.

See the Great Rolling Mill Scene.

High Class Specialties.

Matinee Prices 10c and 25c.

Night Prices 25c, 35c and 50c.

Seats on sale Friday 9 a. m.

E. E. TUTTLE.

215 West High Street.

Sanitary plumbing, hot water and steam heating. A full line of toilet articles and sanitary plumbing goods in stock. Heating boilers on floor of store room. Prices reasonable 69-1m

DAILY MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Corrected daily by Lee Beeler.

Commission Broker, third floor Opera House block. Old 'phone 5021, red.

new phone 783.

Amalg Copper 60 1/2 59 1/2 60 1/2 59 1/2

American Sugar 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2

Anconada 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

Aitchison 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2

Aitchison Preferred 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2

Baltimore & Ohio 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2

Brooklyn R T 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2

Canadian Pacific 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2

Chesapeake & Ohio 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2

Chicago & W 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2

Ohio, Minn. & St Paul 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2

Colo Fuel & Iron 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

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Trains leave Lima at 4:05 a. m.,
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DR. A. H. CREPS
Has located at 201 Bellefontaine Ave.
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DISASTROUS ACCIDENT

Resulting in the Death of Sixteen and
Serious Injury of Sixty.

Unfortunate Ending of Festivities and Demon-
strations in Honor of the King and Queen
at Rome. Train Load of Soldiers
Collides With a Freight.

Rome, Aug. 28.—A disastrous rail-
way accident has cut short the festi-
vities and demonstrations in honor of
the king and queen at Udine, the chief
town on the eastern frontier, thirty
miles from Venice, where the sol-
diers had gone to visit the grand
army maneuvers.
Near Udine, a train overflowing
with soldiers collided with a freight
train. The force of the collision was
terrible. Those on board were thrown
in all directions, and the coaches
were broken up. Fifteen soldiers and
one captain were killed and over sixty
injured, twelve dangerously so. The
colonel in command of the soldiers
was among the injured.

Darkness rendered the confusion
about the scene of the wreck extreme,
while the terror among those who es-
caped injured was increased when the
train took fire a few minutes after
the collision. Fortunately the flames
were immediately extinguished.

Special trains were hurriedly sent
to the scene of the disaster, carrying
the authorities from the nearest town,
who organized a corps of physicians
and administered to the wounded.
King Victor Emmanuel visited the
hospital in person later to see the
victims of the accident.

LACK OF PROTECTION FOR FOREIGN MINISTERS

Is Given as the Reason for the Assault Upon
the American Counsel at Beirut. The
Porte Condescends to Make Inquiry.

Constantinople, Aug. 28.—News of
the assassination of United States
vice consul Magelsen at Beirut,
while he was driving home, reached
here yesterday morning. The assas-
sination is not known, and there are no
further details. United States minister
Leishman, upon hearing of the outrage
proceeded immediately to the foreign
office to confer with Tewfik Pasha.
Lack of proper protection for the pub-
lic in Beirut has been com-
mented upon for some time. The
Porte has even sent a commission
of inquiry there but nothing resulted.

HAS PLENTY OF MONEY.

The Republican Postal Embezzler Now
Lives in Elegance in New York.

New York, Aug. 28.—Charles F. W.
Neely of Muncie, Ind., who figured
prominently in the Cuban postal scan-
dal three years ago, is now living in
quiet elegance in this city. Neely was
charged with the embezzlement of
\$100,000 of postal funds. He was con-
victed and sentenced to ten years im-
prisonment and pay a fine of \$50,701.
Under the bill signed by President
Palmer, on June 11, 1902, granting
amnesty to all Americans convicted
of crimes in Cuba, during the term of
American occupation Neely was re-
leased.

Neely landed here from Havana in
September, 1902, and then, with the
exception of an occasional appearance
at Washington, dropped completely
out of sight except to his most inti-
mate friends. Some of these friends
carried reports to Indiana, that Neely
was living here and cutting quite a
figure both socially and in a business
way. They reported that he seemed
to be enjoying the greatest prosperity;
that he had an elegant suite of rooms
in one of the principal hotels, and
that he was entertaining with a lav-
ish hand. These reports also said it
was understood that he was "on the
ground floor" in a number of deals

involving large sums of money.
Mr. Neely was found in an elegant
suite in a bachelor apartment house.
He has the second floor apartment in
the Royalton, No. 44 west Forty-fourth
street, in the immediate vicinity of
Sherry's, Deimonico's and other ex-
clusive establishments. Mr. Neely
sublets his apartment from the origi-
nal tenant, and has occupied them
about six months. He travels a great
deal, but he makes the Royalton his
home, when he is in the city. It is
not known there that he is engaged
in any business in the city, but he
lives with the appearance of having
plenty of means.

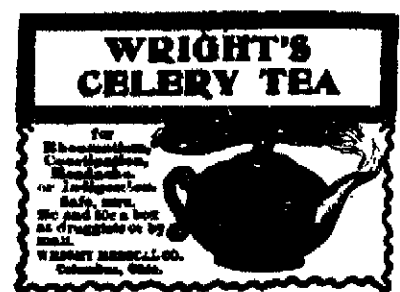
"Have you located permanently in
New York?" he was asked.
"No sir," was the reply.
"Have you established business con-
nections in this city?"
"I have not."
"Do you expect to remain here any
length of time?"
"No sir; I am going out tomorrow."
Mr. Neely declined to state where
he was going, or what business he was
engaged in. The hotel people said they
expected him to return there after his
trip. He is occupying his apartment
alone.

REDUCTION IN THE DIVIDENDS

In Industrials Will Be a Feature in
September Disbursements.

New York, Aug. 28.—Everything in-
dicates that the total industrial divi-
dend disbursements in September will
be smaller than for any previous
month this year, the declaration thus
far announced amounting to only \$15,
457,171. This compares with \$17,900,
000 in August and \$31,233,409 in
March, the high water mark for the

year. In 1902 the Sept. disbursements
aggregated \$16,943,967. The total for
the present month will be later in-
creased by dividends not yet declared
but which it is nearly certain will be
paid. On the other hand a number of
companies which helped to swell last
year's Sept. total this year disappear
from the list.



**WRIGHT'S
CELERY TEA**

**MEN MUST SWEAR
THAT THEY'RE LOYAL.**

Washington, Aug. 28.—An order
from public printer Palmer, was is-
sued to the heads of divisions in the
government printing office just before
the hour for closing to appear before
a notary public in the office and take
the oath of allegiance to the United
States as subscribed to by clerks un-
der the civil service law.
Mr. Palmer said that he had issued
the order at the suggestion of a gov-
ernment official, whose name he de-
clined to give. He said its object
was to place the per diem employees
in the same attitude toward the gov-
ernment as that of the clerks on an-
nual salaries, who have subscribed to
the order. He said that every employe
of the office would be affected by the
order, but to prevent loss of time and
confusion, the chiefs of division were
asked to take it today and that
gradually the entire force would have
the oath administered.

The issuance of the order created
considerable surprise among the em-
ployees of the office, especially among
members of the bookbinders' union,
who believe it has, indirectly, a bear-
ing on the issues growing out of the
case of W. A. Miller, the assistant
foreman of the bindery, who was dis-
charged from the office because he
had been expelled from the local book-
binders' union, but who was after-
wards reinstated at the direction of
President Roosevelt.

HARD TO COMBAT

The Evidence of Our Senses. What
Lima People Say is Pretty Good
Proof for Lima People.

When we see it ourselves.
When our own ears hear it.
When our neighbors tell it.
Our friends endorse it.
No better evidence can be had.
It's not what people say in Maine
Or distant mutterings in California.
No deceiving echoes here.
Lima people talk about Lima people.
Public opinions published for the
public good.

There is no proof like home proof.
Read this statement made by a citi-
zen.
Mr. H. L. Neff, of 967 east North
street, employed with the Electric
Light Co., says: "The pains at times
in my back and kidneys were very
severe and it was difficult for me to
stoop or lift anything. The kidney
secretions became irregular, distress-
ing and annoying. I tried different
remedies, but without receiving any
appreciable benefit. On being ad-
vised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, I
procured them at Wm. M. Melville's
drug store and began to use them.
They did me so much good that I
continued the treatment until radical-
ly relieved."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50
cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buf-
falo, N. Y., sole agents for the United
States.
Remember the name—Doan's—and
take no substitute.

**UNCLE SAM TO PUT A
NEW FLEET ON PACIFIC.**

Washington, Aug. 28.—Because of
the increased American interests on
the Pacific coast, it has been decided
to reestablish the South Pacific sta-
tion and to maintain a cruiser squad-
ron there of from three to four pro-
tected cruisers.

The cruiser Cleveland, which will
have her final trials next week, and
her sister ships, the Denver, Des
Moines, Galveston and Chattanooga,
the first two of which are nearing com-
pletion, will be ordered to the south-
ern Pacific and placed in command
of a rear admiral as soon as commis-
sioned.

The Pacific squadron thereafter will
be known as the north Pacific squad-
ron and its field of operations will be
bounded on the south by the Isthmus
the remainder of the Pacific coast be-
ing watched over by the new squad-
ron.

Californ Prune Wafers.

Purely vegetable, they are nature's
product and should be in every house-
hold. They cure constipation and all
disorders of the stomach, liver and
bowels.

100 Wafers 25 Cents.
Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post-
office corner.

Our childish loves are forgotten be-
cause they left no sting.—Life.

"Advice me, Uncle Jack." "Of
course. What is it?" "Shall I ask
you for \$25 or for \$50."—Life.

THE JAILER'S DAUGHTER

(Original.)

The moon looked down on the little
jail at L., in the state of Georgia.
There were but two persons on the
premises, one a prisoner, the other the
jailer's daughter, aged eighteen. Her
father had been obliged to leave her in
charge to go and attend to business
that would not wait. Susie Leadbetter
had seen the prisoner brought in, a
devil may care looking young fellow
whose appearance had taken her fancy.
Now she was wondering what he had
been brought there for and what he
was thinking about. She went to the
door of his cell and stood listening.
Presently she called softly:
"You uns want anything?"
"Want anything? Why, yes. It's
lonesome in here. I want you to talk
to me."
"What were you put in for?"
"Shooting. A man called me a liar."
"Did you shoot him for that?"
"Had to. A gentleman can't stand
to be called a liar. I say, if you'll un-
lock the door I'll come out and tell you
about it."

"No," she said thoughtfully. "I
couldn't look pop in the face if I did it.
He'd never trust me again."
But she stood with each hand on a
bar of the cell door and listened to his
story. When he had finished she
thought it very unjust that he should
be there for resenting an insult. He
had a winning way with him, making
light of his misfortune, but when he
told her that he fancied some of his
enemy's friends might get up a party
to come to take him out of the jail and
hang him a serious expression crossed
his face which was reflected in that of
the young girl.

Then she went away to sit on the
doorstep and think about the prisoner.
She looked out on the moonlight
streaming over the meadow on the
shimmering river beyond, at the queen
of night, and everywhere she saw
those dark eyes, that pleasant smile,
and thought what a dreadful thing it
would be if a mob should come to hang
the handsome prisoner.

Presently she saw a dark figure
emerge from a wood and survey the
jail. Then another came out and in a
few minutes half a dozen men were
moving stealthily toward her.

Her heart stood still.
There are faculties that at times seem
to be set in motion to act independ-
ently; a sort of hypnotic condition in
which the mind instead of being under
the control of another mind is domi-
nated by a force of circumstances.
Susie arose from her seat on the door-
step, went inside, took from a corner
of the room her father's rifle and, pull-
ing a bureau out into the center of the
room, took position behind it. She had
barely time to examine the cartridges to
see if they were in condition when the
advancing men came up to the open
door.

"What you want?" called a soft voice.
"We want that murderer, Roger De
Ford."

"You can't have him!"
"We'll see about that."
The man took a step forward.
"Stop that! If you come a step
further I'll shoot you!"
"Come out of that, Bill," called a
voice from behind. "She's going to
shoot; I kin tell by her voice. Women's
wolves 'n men when they git the devil
in 'em. There's been one of us killed
today. We don't want no mo' killin'!"
The man in advance drew back and
there was a consultation. The jail was
not easily entered except at this one
opening and the problem was a puzzle.
To go in by the door they must shoot
at random, and if they hit any one it
would be a girl. But the most effective
argument was that the enemy, being in
shadow, could pick off one or more of
those out in the moonlight. The situa-
tion was not inviting. After a pro-
longed discussion several who favored
avoiding any shedding of blood except
that of the prisoner prevailed and it
was decided to give the matter up.
They turned and went away.

Susie watched them till they passed
into the wood from which she had seen
them come; then her old self resumed
control. She did not faint, but she
dropped to the floor and leaned for
support against the bureau. She was
revived by the prisoner's "Hello!"
Rising she went to the cell door.
Roger De Ford had heard the demand
made for him and the refusal. He was
a brave man, but it takes more than
a brave man to hear without quailing
a mob calling for his life. The pris-
oner had only recovered from his ter-
ror when he called for Susie, and was
still trembling when she came, but the
sight of her brought back his youthful
sang froid.

"Come, let me out of this. You're
the girl for me. We'll run away from
here and not come back till this has
blown over."
"I couldn't."
"Not if you knew they'd come back
again with a big crowd, make a rump
of a telegraph pole, batter down the
door and—"

Before he could finish the key was
turned in the lock and in another mo-
ment the two were speeding over the
moonlit meadow. Though the man
was feeling for his life, it was the
girl who in her heart experienced a
wild gladness. She had met and loved
and saved the life of her lover all
within a few hours.

Half a dozen years later, when, at
the close of the war, the Confederate
Colonel Roger De Ford returned to his
native town, his "shooting" was for-
given if not forgotten, while in the
new south his wife, the jailer's daugh-
ter, was not refused admittance among
her husband's friends, as she would
have been under the old regime.

WINSLOW T. JENKINS.

CRUSHES OUT THE LIFE

The most loathsome and repulsive of all
living things is the serpent, and the vilest and
most degrading of all human diseases is Contagious Blood Poison. The
serpent sinks its fangs into the flesh and almost instantly the poison passes
through the entire body. Contagious Blood Poison, beginning with a little
ulcer, soon contaminates every drop of blood and spreads throughout the
whole system. Painful swellings appear in the groins, a red rash and
copper colored spots break out on the body, the mouth and throat
become ulcerated, and the hair and eye brows fall out; but these symptoms
are mild compared to the wretchedness and suffering that come in the latter
stages of the disease when it attacks the bones and more vital parts of the
body. It is then that Contagious Blood Poison is seen in all its hideous-
ness. The deep eating abscesses and sickening ulcers and tumors show
the whole system is corrupted and poisoned, and unless relief comes soon
this serpent disease tightens its coils and crushes out the life. The only
antidote for the awful virus is S. S. S. It is nature's remedy, com-
posed entirely of vegetable ingredients. S. S. S.
destroys every vestige of the poison, purifies the
blood and removes all danger of transmitting the
awful taint to others. Nothing else will do this.
Strong mineral remedies, like mercury and potash,
dry up the sores and drive in the disease, but do not cure permanently.
Send for our home treatment book and write us if in need of medical
advice or special information. This will cost you nothing.

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Monarch Polish
There is No Other
That will make your furni-
ture look so bright, pianos
so new, mantels and things
so clean as Monarch.
Easy to apply, economical, and
will not injure the finest surfaces.
Nothing Better for Hardwood
Floors and Hardwood Finish.
If your dealer will not supply you, send by express, pre-
paid for 25 cents. BARKER & CO., Cleveland, O.

INSTINCT IS THE TEACHER.

How the Young of the Feathered
Tribe Are Educated.

There is a school of the woods, just
as much as there is a church of the
woods or a parliament of the woods
or a Society of United Charities of the
woods, and no more. There is nothing
in the dealing of animals with their
young that in the remotest way sug-
gests human instruction and discipline.
The young of all the wild creatures do
instinctively what their parents do and
d. d. They do not have to be taught;
they are taught from the jump, says a
writer in the Atlantic Monthly. The
bird sings at the proper age and builds
its nest and takes its appropriate food
without any hint at all from its par-
ents. The young ducks take to the
water when hatched by a duck and
dive and stalk insects and wash them-
selves just as their mothers did. Young
chickens and young turkeys under-
stand the various calls and signals of
their mother the first time they hear or
see them. At the first alarm note they
squat; at a call to food they come on
the first day as on the tenth. The hab-
its of cleanliness of the nestlings are
established from the first hour of their
lives. When a bird comes to build its
first nest and to rear its first brood, it
knows how to proceed as well as it
does years later or as its parents did
before it. The fox is afraid of a trap
before he has had any experience with
it, and the hare thumps upon the
ground at sight of anything strange
and unusual, whether its mates be
within hearing or not. No bird teaches
its young to fly. They fly instinctively
when their wings are strong enough.

LEGAL NOTICE.
Elizabeth Morrison, whose place of
residence is unknown, will take notice
that on the 23rd day of July A. D.
1903, Charles F. Morrison, filed his pe-
tition in the common pleas court of
Allen county, Ohio, against said de-
fendant, in case number 11565, praying
for a divorce from said defendant,
Elizabeth Morrison, on the grounds of
gross neglect of duty and adultery
and that she is required to make
answer in said cause to said petition
on or before the 3rd day of Septem-
ber, A. D. 1903, or judgment will be
taken against her.

By J. D. Armstrong, His Attorney.
July 24-6wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of A. J. Stevick, deceased.
The undersigned has been appointed
and qualified as administratrix of the
estate of A. J. Stevick, late of Allen
county, Ohio, deceased.
Dated this 27th day of August, A. D.
1903.
272-3w* TRESSIE H. STEVICK.

\$5.00 TO PETOSKEY, SEPT. 3, 1903.

The G. R. & I. will give its annual
excursion to Petoskey, Traverse City
and Northport, on September 3, 1903
for \$5.00 for the round trip from all
stations Richmond to Ft. Wayne in-
clusive. Tickets are good going on
scheduled excursion trains and are
good for return until Sept. 13th, 1903.
The fare to Mackinac Island is \$6.
Get full information of any G. R. &
I. agent or address C. L. Lockwood,
General Passenger Agent, Grand
Rapids, Mich. tu&fri-64-1t

Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sallow and the
other fresh and rosy. Whence the
difference? She who is blushing with
health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills
to maintain it. By gently arousing
the lazy organs they compel good di-
gestion and head off constipation. Try
them. Only 25c. at H. R. Vorkamp's
drug store, corner Main and North
streets.

U. S. EXCURSION TO DETROIT.

On Labor Day promises to be largely
patronized. The Labor day attrac-
tions in the city are numerous. Seven
hours in the city will give ample time
to see the most interesting parts of
the cleanest city in the world. You
cannot get more for \$1.25 of pleasure
and benefit anywhere. All will be done
to make the day a pleasant one. Call
on A. E. Davis, C. M. Robinson, and
G. E. Robinson. 72-1t

Consumption Threatened.

"I was troubled with a hacking
cough for a year and I thought I had
consumption," says C. C. Unger, 211
Maple St., Champaign, Ill. "I tried
a great many remedies and I was
under the care of physicians for sev-
eral months. I used one bottle of
Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me,
and I have not been troubled since."
Sold by H. F. Vorkamp.

Jean A. Crone, a newspaper man of
Augusta, Me., who is to visit every
state capital in the United States,
covering a distance of over 21,000
miles inside of three years and six
months, is nearing Lansing, Mich.,
having already covered 2,194 miles
since April 1. He says he is making
the journey on a wagon of \$6,000 and
is walking the entire distance, push-
ing a wheel-shaped contrivance which
he calls a trolley, which contains
his clothing, sleeping tent, food, etc.

"Is your wife a good cook?" asked
the editor from out of town. "Is she?"
replied the flat dweller. "Say, you
not ought to be around when she
roasts the janitor."—Chicago News.

AGED LADY MET DEATH

Under Wheels of West Bound L. E. & W., Passenger Train Today.

Victim, Mrs. Gordon, Had Top of Head Cut Off, Right Leg Severed, and Left Foot Crushed. Life Went Out Instantly.

Another distressing and fatal railroad accident happened at the village of Hume on the L. E. & W. R. R. this morning, the victim being Mrs. Mary E. Gordon, an aged lady, whose home is in St. Marys.

She had been visiting Mrs. Nancy Kessler for two weeks, and intended returning home this morning.

Before time for arrival of west bound passenger train No 1, she sent a young girl to the depot to ascertain when the train would reach Hume. Agent Wm Boogher gave the child the information, and she hastened to tell

Mrs Gordon. While gathering up her baggage the train whistled, and Mrs. Gordon hurried with all speed her age would permit. On reaching the track she slipped, fell under the moving coaches, and met her death, the top of her head being cut off, her right leg severed, and her left foot crushed. Many went to her rescue, but when taken from beneath the coaches her life was extinct.

Coroner Rice was immediately called, and after his examination, the body of Mrs. Gordon will be taken to her home in St. Marys.

OPTION SECURED BY RUSSELL BROS.,

On the Properties of the Lodi Oil and Refining Company, Located in and Near Lodi, Ohio.

Messrs W L Russell and C E. Rus sell, of this city, have secured an option on the properties of the Lodi Oil and Refining Co., situated in and about Lodi, O. The property consists of 300 acres of oil producing territory, 28 producing wells and an oil refinery situated at Lodi. The option gives Russell Bros. a right to purchase the properties within a specified limit of time for a consideration of \$200,000.

Russell Bros. may either include the Lodi properties in the list of those to be sold to French and Belgian capitalists, or dispose of it to other purchasers. Negotiations are still on between the local firm and the French and Belgian's and the monster deal of which much has already been published, may be closed in the near future.

FELDMANN & CO.

New Walking and Dress Skirts.

There is an unmistakable distinction and superiority in our garments that is not found in the average goods. Our every garment comes from reliable makers which assures not only correct style but good materials and good workmanship as well.

Very Pretty Dress Skirts

at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.98, \$10.00, \$11.50, \$14.50 and \$16.50.

Excellent Walking Skirts

at \$3.98, \$3.50, \$2.98, \$2.50 and \$1.98.

Our higher grade Walking Skirts are making new customers for the department every day. New shipments are arriving daily and you can depend on finding here the best Skirts at \$5.00 to \$10.00 it is possible to get.

Feldmann & Co.
200-211 N. Main Street.

POWERS PLEADS IN HIS OWN DEFENSE.

Willing to Rest His Guilt or Innocence on the Good or Bad Faith of His Trip to Louisville.

Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 28.—Caleb Powers resumed argument in his own defense before the jury today. He declared that the star witness of the commonwealth, Wharton Golden was seeking to keep out of the penitentiary and that Henry Youtsey, was swearing to get out of that institution. He made a strong point on the fact that the testimony shows no personal communication with Youtsey, by him until the day before the shooting.

Powers declared that he was willing to rest the question of his guilt or innocence on the good or bad faith of his trip to Louisville on the morning of the day of the killing, when as the defense testimony shows, he was enroute to western Kentucky, to get up a crowd of petitioners to go to Frankfort to call on the general assembly. He demanded to know of the commonwealth's attorney, why, if he did not believe that he (Powers) was in earnest about the trip to Louisville, he did not have all of those who participated in that movement, with him also arrested, and indicted. He declared that he would never follow the course of Youtsey, by feigning a fit in the court room to avoid the just punishment fixed by the law, but will fight to the last in the courts to prove his innocence. Powers explained his having signed the written agreement produced by the state attorneys and Youtsey, relative to the affidavit signed by Youtsey in the Louisville jail, declaring Powers innocent by saying that he signed it to get an affidavit of innocence, fearing that Youtsey might some day turn as a commonwealth witness, and he would then be able to confront him with the affidavit.

WILL NOT TRY AGAIN

For Cup Until England Produces Builder as Good as America.

Lipton Frankly Admits That Brains for Boat Building Are on This Side of the Water, and That Shamrock Cannot Win Even One Race.

New York, Aug. 28.—Sir Thomas Lipton, aboard the Erin, declared today in an interview that he would never challenge again for the American cup until a man had been found in England who equaled Nat Herreshoff in yacht building. The baronet admitted his disappointment at his failure and frankly said that he had no hope of winning even a single race. He said "American brains and development have us beaten. If the day ever comes when England produces a Herreshoff, then I will challenge for the cup again. It will not be until then. It is unpleasant to be compelled to admit but the brains in boat building are on this side of the water. Herreshoff is a wizard. His work is wonderful. None can have admired Reliance more than I have. She is the best boat by all odds and has won on strict merit."

"I am a most disappointed man. My hopes were high when I left home for I surely believed we would carry back the cup."

"Yesterday's race only prolonged the agony for me. I do not want to win on any ships and I regretted Reliance's failure to get over the line as much as any one could."

Sir Thomas was asked why it was that Shamrock III was not given more sail area. He replied that he tried everything regarding construction and design to the best of England's talent. He complimented Captain Barr and he said that he had no fault to find with the way in which the Shamrock had been handled. "I hope," he said, "that we will get a 25 knot breeze and a heavy sea tomorrow. Then we will have had all the chances on the calendar to try our Shamrock's qualities." The baronet praised the hospitality and generosity of America and expressed the belief that many of them wanted to see him take the cup.

"They would push Shamrock over the line ahead if they could, I believe."

EDUCATION BILL HAS BECOME LAW.

It Appropriates \$72,000 to Cover Expenses of First Year in Establishing School System. Fined for Smuggling.

Manila Aug. 28.—The new education bill has just become a law. It appropriates the sum of \$72,000 to cover the expenses of the first year. It further provides that one hundred of the best qualified students securing at least 75 per cent on each subject at an annual examination to be held in each school district, shall have the privilege of going to the United States to complete their education at institutions to be designated by the governor.

Fined For Smuggling.
Manila, Aug. 28.—The court of customs appeals has fined Captain Quartermaster Harry B. Chamberlain, \$500 the ordinary fine for smuggling, with the difference that he did not smuggle for personal gain, but was caught bringing in unmanifested dutiable goods in packages addressed to prominent military officers and their families from the port of Hong Kong while he was acting as quartermaster on the transport Seward.

A BALD NEWSPAPER MAN.
Getting a New Crop of Hair, and Has No More Dandruff.

Everybody in the northwest knows Col. Daniel Searles, the veteran journalist and publisher of Butte. Jan. 10, 1900, the Colonel writes: "I used a couple of bottles of Newbro's Herpicide with marvelous results. The dandruff disappeared; a new crop of

hair has taken root and the bald spot is rapidly being covered." Herpicide is the only hair preparation that kills the dandruff germ that digs up the scalp in scales as it burrows its way to the root of the hair, where it destroys the vitality of the hair, causing the hair to fall out. Kill the dandruff germ, with Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10 cents in stamps the sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

Lima Dry Goods Co.

This Mill Remnant and Mill Price Sale

Offers matchless opportunities to economical buyers of Dry Goods—its a time of buying for future needs when such savings as indicated below are offered.

Wrappers

Made of a high grade Lawns and dimities, nicely trimmed, good assortment to select from, regular \$1.25 kind

79 Cents.

A clearance of odds and ends in Corsets, (colors) black, slate, white, regular \$1.00 grade.

69 cents.

Shirt Waists worth up to \$1.50.

69 cents.

Wash Goods, worth up to 25c yard,

9 1-2 cents.

Hosiery.

The boys and girls will soon be wanting Hosiery for school. Not a bad idea to get them before the usual rush begins. Never fail Hosiery equal to the 25c kind, black only.

15c Pair.

10c quality domest flannel,

6 1-2 cents.

Lot Lace Curtains 3 1-2 yards long, taped, extra value,

\$1.15 Pair.

This Sale Will Close Saturday Night.

MAYOR'S COURT.

Justice Dealt Out in Bunches of Eight-Sixty.

Frank Slawson's Work House Sentence of Thirty Days Suspended During Good Behavior.

Ira Fisher, charged with assault and battery, and Mason Snook and Charles Herring charged with drunkenness, were arraigned in mayor's court this morning and were fined \$8.60 each.

The sentence of thirty days imprisonment in the Columbus work house which was given Frank Slawson yesterday for having stolen a pair of shoes belonging to Dean Talbot, has been suspended by the mayor during the good behavior of the young offender.

A blessing alike to young and old, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Nature's specific for dysentery, diarrhoea and summer complaint.

BELATED

Fourth of July Celebration Held Last Night.

Police Investigated a "Shooting" and Found It to Be the Prank of Two Young Girls.

About 10 o'clock last night, as a man named Ferguson and his wife, were passing a residence on west Kibby street, they heard several reports that "listened" like the reports of pistol shots, and they immediately reported the matter to the police, stating that they had heard six shots fired. With visions of a whole family having been murdered by burglars, two policemen visited the house, and found that the noise had been occasioned by two young ladies who had discovered half a dozen fire crackers that had been left over from the Fourth of July.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of cuts, burns, sprains, accidents of any sort.

NOTICE!

The Ladies Aid Society of the First U. B. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Clark, on south Pine street, Saturday evening, Aug. 29, at 7:30 o'clock, to make final arrangements for the reception to be given at Mrs. Crawford's Friday, September 4. Every member is earnestly requested to be present.

INSPECTORS

Have Made Some Changes in the Fees

And a New System Will Be Adopted Which Will Be Uniform Over the State.

The official inspectors, who are checking up the various offices at the court house, in accordance with a provision under the new code have cut down the fee system in several instances and the ax has fallen heaviest at the clerk's office, where a number of the duties required of that official have been placed on the free list, or materially reduced.

A check system is being adopted by the inspectors, which will greatly aid in the work to be done by them each year hereafter, and all charges will be made in accordance with the fixed list of fees. The same operation will be put into effect in each county in the state, where the officials have been following the precedent established by their predecessors.

GUYER HAT OPENING NEXT SATURDAY, AT MICHAEL'S.

FURNISHED

Bond and the Prisoner was Released.

Daniel Finn, who was bound over to the grand jury, a few days ago, after his arrest on the charge of stealing \$300 from Joseph Zimmerman, was released this morning on bond. Friends came to his assistance and put up the \$200 required by the probate judge.

Oh, Fudge. Will see you at Wonderland.

TOWNSEND'S SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY ONLY.

Good steak, per pound 10c
or 3 pounds for 25c
Boiling meat, per pound 5c
or 6 pounds for 25c
California hams, per pound 11c
Bacon, per pound 16c
Country cheese, per pound 15c
N. Y. cream cheese, per pound 16c
Fine mackerel, each 10c
Ralston's oats, per package 8c
Eagle lye, per can 8c
Saltmon, 1lb flat can 13c
Pure castle soap, per pound 16c
H. O. pancake flour 8c
Good bulk coffee, per pound 10c

See the Weston-Raymond trio at McBeth's park. 69-6t

See Henderson and Rios, "The Maid and the Jay," at McBeth's park. 69-6t

5 FINE PIANOS FOR LITTLE MONEY.

OLD RELIABLE.

Five fine upright pianos which have been rented and used at concerts in perfect condition and fully guaranteed. We will sell these five beautiful instruments for 1-4 to 1/2 their rental value.

Two beautiful mahogany case uprights rented short time, good players, make worth \$300 with fine stool and covers, each \$225, easy payments or cash.

One extra fine dark oak case upright fine tone and action, small dealer could not sell less than \$350 our price on this elegant instrument \$225 or easy payments.

Two elegant walnut case uprights used at concerts, pianos fine enough for any home, and guaranteed by one of the wealthiest piano companies in the world. One at \$285 and the other at \$265, easy payments or cash.

In addition to the above big bargains we have an elegant stock of the celebrated Steck, Everett, J. & C. Fischer, Smith & Nixon, Ebersole, Havas, Haines, Royal, Wellington, Cable, etc. and many other pianos equally as well known—all instruments sold on easy payments.

We need seven square pianos, and will offer special inducements to those who have them to trade on new uprights. Call and see us. We guarantee to save you \$50 to \$100 in buying a piano.

25 fine organs, \$10; \$15; \$20; \$25 and \$35. Almost new.

B. S. PORTER & SON.

See Laredo and Blake, dextrous and diverting, at McBeth's park. 69-6t
Trains every hour, to trip to Wonderland. 69-6t

Oh, Joy, a trip to Wonderland. 9t
Special. Carrie Nation at Wonderland. 69-6t